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Little Theatre Auditions

The Bay St. Louis Little Theatre has scheduled auditions Monday, Oct. 11 for roles in the upcoming Eugene O'Neill play, "Long Day's Journey Into the Night."

Persons interested in trying out for a role should report at 6:30 p.m. to Fleur delis Antiques, 125 Main Street, across from the Serenity Gallery in downtown Bay St. Louis.

For more information, contact the director, Ray Kutos at 452-7261.

Safe Schools Forum planned

The Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District will host a Safe School Forum on Monday, Oct. 11, at 7 p.m., in the Robert V. Magee Auditorium at Bay High School.

Parents, students, community members, and faculty are invited to attend. Participants will be given opportunities for input and to ask questions. For more information, call 467-6621.

Stanislaus Car Wash

The St. Stanislaus Key Club will conduct a car wash on Saturday, Oct. 16, from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. beside K-Mart in Waveland. Prices will be \$4 for cars and \$5 or more for sport utility vehicles and trucks. A portion of proceeds will benefit the Save Our Children.

TIDES

	High	Low
Mon. 10/5	8:58 a.	5:04 p.
Tue. 10/6	1:26 p.	7:56 p.
Sat. 10/9	12:42 a.	8:46 a.
Sun. 10/10	12:41 a.	10:10 a.
Mon. 10/11	12:58 a.	11:19 a.
Tues. 10/12	1:23 a.	2:19 p.
Wed. 10/13	1:55 a.	1:16 p.
Thurs. 10/14	2:32 a.	2:13 p.

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Cat Island preservation continues



U.S. Rep.
Gene Taylor

BY ED LEPOMA

U.S. Rep. Gene Taylor is optimistic the House and Senate will pass legislation and provide funding to add Cat Island to the Gulf Islands National Seashore.

The Echo caught up with the Fifth District Democratic Congressman at last weekend's Our Lady Academy's International Food Festival in By St. Louis, and he reported that hearings last week before the House

Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands went "very well."

Under Taylor's House Resolution 2541, Cat Island would be added to the chain of islands protected by the National Park Service.

Taylor said the owners, the Boddie family, want to keep only about 158 acres or six-percent of the total island, and are willing sellers.

At last week's hearing, Cal Boddie said, "The National Park

Service has done an excellent job of managing the Mississippi barrier islands presently in the Gulf

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Islands system. For that reason, we believed that the Seashore is the logical entity to preserve and manage the majority of Cat Island."

The asking price for the 2,100-acre island might be around \$28

million, but Taylor said he plans to get two appraisals.

Taylor said he was also encouraged that the state's two republican Senators recently came out in support of purchasing Cat Island.

Larry Youngblood, press secretary to Sen. Trent Lott, said from Washington this week Sen. Lott will work with fellow Sen. Thad Cochran to produce a bill in the

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Bay race becomes nine-way

Candidates vying
for vacated seat

BY MARY G. SEILEY

A nine-way race for Bay St. Louis City Council's vacant seat has developed, with a citywide election set for Tuesday.

Candidates in the Oct. 12 special election include eight men and one woman vying for the at-large council seat vacated with last month's death of James B. Rutherford.

Since one candidate needs to amass over 50 percent of the vote to win, a runoff contest between the top two vote getters is likely. The runoff election will be held Oct. 19 if necessary.

Polls will be open between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. at the city's four voting precincts, including: Bay High School, Hancock County Library, Bay St. Louis Fire Department and Christ Episcopal Church, for wards one through four, respectively.

Candidates for the seat include:
• Peggy Lamb Dutton, an attorney and former teacher who is chairman of the Bay St. Louis Community Association. She also chairs a legal subcommittee for the Department of

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Former official nabbed for pot

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS

Former Waveland alderman Joseph B. (Jay) Fleuriet Jr., 46, 210 Terrace Avenue, Waveland, has been charged with possession of a controlled substance, marijuana, according to Multi-Task Drug Force Director Shane Corr.

Corr said, "On Saturday, Oct. 2, Waveland police were summoned to a domestic disturbance. Waveland Sgt. C.J. Lick and Officer Theresa Beeson responded at Fleuriet's residence. During the officers investigation at the scene they learned he was in possession of marijuana."

"The task force was called in, and Fleuriet was arrested on a felony drug possession charge. He had approximately two ounces of marijuana in his possession. Fleuriet was booked at the



Fleuriet

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The Great Pumpkin Patch



Parishioners at Trinity Episcopal Church in Pass Christian unload a truck-full of pumpkins Sunday. Jeanne "The Pumpkin Lady" Tagge and other volunteers will sell the pumpkins from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. every day until Halloween or until they're all gone. Proceeds benefit the Trinity Youth Group, WRANPS, humane societies and other groups.

Hancock Bank turns 100

ECHO STAFF REPORT

Hancock Bank will celebrate its first 100 years with a special Centennial Ceremony at the old L&N Depot in Bay St. Louis.

Originally chartered as Hancock County Bank, it was founded by 19 Bay St. Louis business people in 1899, representing a total of 198 shares. Those founders included J.A. Breath; Joseph F. Cazeneuve; L.A. deMontluzin; F.B. Dunbar; James V. Dunbar; Thomas L. Evans; John B. Fahey; Peter Hellwege; Peter E.

Hellwege; E.H. Hoffman; August Keler; Charles Marshall; Richard Mendes; Chagel G. Moreau; John Osoinach; Agnes T. Phillips; Eugene H. Roberts; L.N.C. Spotorno; and John V. Toulme.

"Within weeks of signing the bank's charter," according to the company's employee handbook, "the original board of directors purchased a site at Main Street and South Beach Boulevard and initiated construction of Bay St. Louis' first tow-story building to house the Hancock County

Bank, the post office and the United States Customs office. Today, the Bay St. Louis branch still operates from that building.

"since first opening our doors on October 9, 1899, with \$10,000 in capitalization and \$8,277.41 in first-day deposits, Hancock Bank has evolved as one of the strongest, safest financial institutions in the United States.

Hancock Holding Company, the parent of Hancock Bank Mississippi,

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Waveland man dies in I-10 pile-up near N.O.

BY GEOFF BELCHER

The Mississippi 984th Air Force Junior ROTC at Bay High School this week lowered the flag at the school to half-mast to honor Waveland resident Benjamin Ladner, who was killed Sunday while trying to help people in a car crash on I-10.

In all, seven vehicles were involved in the accident, with a semi-truck vehicle had stopped on the shoulder, and several people were injured, including a crash on I-10.

Orleans-St. Tammany Parish border that began when one vehicle ricocheted from rail to rail according to police reports. Apparently, while they were trying to help another vehicle, Benjamin Ladner, who was killed Sunday while trying to help people in a car crash on I-10.

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Bay High School students and faculty lower the flag to half-mast in honor of Benjamin Ladner, who died in an accident Sunday.

Corps to eye impact of casinos

BY ED LEPOMA

There is no moratorium on casino development along the Mississippi Coast, but the U.S. Corps of Engineers indicated this week it intends to press forward with plans to measure casinos effect.

Janet Shelby, public affairs spokesperson with the Corps' Mobile, Ala., office, said the

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OBITUARIES

FEDERICO G. ARCE
JAMES F. DAVIS
CATHERINE L. FAYARD
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JOHN T. MOORE
LILY MAE PLAISANCE
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FEDERICO G. ARCE

Federico Guillermo Arce, 76, of the White Cypress community, died Thursday, Sept. 30, 1999, in Picayune.

Mr. Arce was a native of San Pedro, Honduras, and was a veteran of the U.S. Army. He was employed as a production line foreman for Kaiser Aluminum and was a member of Shiloh Baptist Church in Perkinston.

Survivors include his wife, Clydia A. Arce of White Cypress; six sons, John Arce of Slidell, Billy Arce of New York, N.Y., James Arce of Hot Springs, Ark., Henry Arce of Edmond, Wash., Robert Arce of Lacombe, La., and Thomas Arce of Stanford, Conn.; a daughter, Linda Gandin of Houston, Texas; a brother, Abraham Arce of San Pedro, Honduras; and 15 grandchildren.

Services were conducted Monday at Shiloh Baptist Church in Perkinston. Burial was in Shiloh Cemetery in Perkinston.

Picayune Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

JAMES F. DAVIS

James F. "Jim" Davis, 85, of Diamondhead, died Saturday, Oct. 2, 1999, in Diamondhead.

Mr. Davis was a native of St. Louis and was a graduate of Cleveland High School. He was retired as the manager of Prudential Insurance Company, was past district governor of Rotary International No. 684 and past president of Gentilly Rotary Club. He was a member of the Square & Compass Club, the Diamondhead Carnival Krewe and the VFW of Diamondhead.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Audrey Koch Davis.

Survivors include his wife, Julie Aycock Davis; two sons, Dennis Davis and Tim Davis; a stepson; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Visitation was Tuesday at Lake Lawn Metairie Funeral Home in New Orleans. A memorial service will be conducted 10 a.m. today at Diamondhead Community Church. Interment will be in Lake Lawn Park Mausoleum.

The family prefers memorials to the Diamondhead Community Church.

CATHERINE L. FAYARD

Catherine Louise Fayard, 64, of Waveland, died Sunday, Oct. 3, 1999, in Waveland.

Mrs. Fayard was a native of New Orleans and a longtime resident of Hancock County. She was a member of Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis. She retired as seamstress with Pass Christian Industries after 28 years of service.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Florian and Catherine Rosa Shall.

Survivors include a son, Van M. Fayard Jr. of Mobile, Ala.; two daughters, Cheryl Coogan of Waveland and Cynthia Fayard of Pensacola, Fla.; a sister, Jackie Cuiffi of Kenner; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be conducted today at 9 a.m. at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis.

Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis is in charge of arrangements.

The family prefers memorials to Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church Building Fund, 228 S. Beach Boulevard, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520.

OLLIE BELLE KAPP

Ollie Belle Kapp, born in 1916, died Sunday, Oct. 2, 1999, in Bay St. Louis.

Mrs. Kapp was born in Winter Beach, Fla. and was a lifelong resident of Vero Beach. Lately, she was a resident of Bay St. Louis with her daughter, Eileen Delle. She was a graduate of Indian River

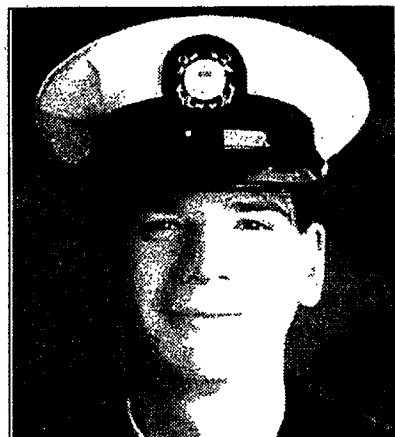
County Nursing School and devoted to her profession until the age of 74.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Kapp Sr. Survivors include two sons, Robert O. Kapp Sr. of Bay St. Louis and Charles H. Kapp Jr. of Jacksonville, Fla., and a daughter, Eileen Delle of Bay St. Louis; 13 grandchildren, 30 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted at Hillcrest Memorial Gardens in Fort Pierce, Fla.



OLLIE BELLE KAPP

**BENJAMIN G. LADNER**

SNRD Benjamin Garfield Ladner, 20, of Waveland, died Friday, Oct. 3, 1999, in New Orleans.

He was a native of Bay St. Louis and a longtime resident of Waveland. He was a member of St. Clare Catholic Church in Waveland. He was a 1998 graduate of Bay High School and a member of the 1999 United States Coast Guard Radar School and was to be stationed at Charleston, S.C., on the USS Dallas.

He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Edward "Red" Lee; and his great-grandparents, Lottie Bourgeois Ladner and Mayor Garfield Ladner, Frank and Nephia Broome Lee, Boliver and Effie Purdy McConnell and Asa and Alice Schindler Peterson.

He was the son of Carl S. and Edwina Lee Ladner Jr. of Waveland; brother, Zachary Daniel Ladner of Waveland; paternal grandmother, Joyce Peterson Ladner of Gulfport; paternal grandfather, Carl S. Ladner Sr. of Bay St. Louis; and maternal grandmother, Addie Geneva Lee of Waveland.

Visitation was Tuesday at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Wednesday at St. Clare Catholic Church. Interment followed in Lakeshore Cemetery with full military honors.

The family prefers memorials to Gaits to Success Therapeutic Equestrian Center, c/o Charles Benvenutti, CPA, PA, 831 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520.

JOHN V. LADNER

John V. Ladner, 67, of the Dedeaux community, died Saturday, Oct. 2, 1999, in Jackson.

Mr. Ladner was born April 19, 1932, in Pass Christian. He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Dedeaux. He was retired from the U.S. Army and was a Korean War veteran.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Emma and Ceville Ladner; three brothers, Ray Ladner, Pete Ladner and Avel Ladner; two sisters, Ester Ladner and Mamie Necaise; and two grandchildren.

Survivors include four daughters and three sons, Charlotte Ladner and Kim Ladner, both of Pass Christian, Deborah Naquin of Picayune, Rannie Ladner of Waveland, Sharon Randall of Biloxi, Susan Shaw of Perkinston, and Byron Ladner of Long Beach; two brothers, Welton Ladner of Pass Christian and Ceville Ladner of Long Beach; five sisters, Wilma Hurst and Glen Gilreath of Gulfport, Edna Guidry of Picayune, Betty Arnold of Pearlport and Emma Ladner of Long Beach.

Visitation was Wednesday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Dedeaux, followed by celebration of a Funeral Mass and interment in Alphonse Malley Memorial Cemetery in the Fenton community with full military honors.

Lockett-Williams' Mortuary in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

LLOYD A. MARKS

Lloyd Anthony Marks, 65, of Pass Christian, died Sunday, Oct. 3, 1999, in Pass Christian.

Mr. Marks was a native of Opelousas, La., and a resident of the Coast for 34 years. He was a dental technician and was an Air Force veteran.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Armand and Bernadette Lalor Marks; a brother, James Marks; and four sisters, Annie Marks, Velma Lay, Bernice Marks and Joanne Richard.

Survivors include his wife, Martha Jordan Marks; a son, Christopher J. Marks, both of Pass Christian; a daughter, Debrah Marks Carver of Hancock County, and six grandchildren.

A private family service will be held at a later date.

Riemann Funeral Home, 25th Ave., Gulfport is in charge of arrangements.

DR. ROBERT MARTIN

Dr. Robert L. "Bob" Martin, 68, of Diamondhead, died Saturday, Oct. 2, 1999 in Diamondhead.

Dr. Martin was a native of Hartford, Conn. and was a physicist with the U.S. Government. He was a member of Annunciation Catholic Church in Kiln and was a veteran of the U.S. Navy.

Robert L. (Bob) Martin was born in Hartford, Conn. June 21, 1931. He was the son of Rose Miko Martin of Lebanon, Conn. and the late Maurice Martin. He was a four-year Navy veteran of the Korean War and subsequently received a BA and MA in physics from the University of Connecticut and a PhD in marine physics from the

University of Miami, Fla. He worked as a research physicist for the U.S. Navy in New London, Conn. 1957-1978 during which time he was resident technical manager of the Navy's Bermuda Research Detachment, 1963-1967.

In 1978 he transferred to the Navy's research laboratory in Bay St. Louis from where he retired in 1986. During that period he and his family lived in Picayune. On leaving the U.S. Navy he received a five-year appointment to the NATO post of Deputy Director, SACLAN Underwater Research Center in La Spezia, Italy and later as a contract liaison scientist to the Office of Naval Research in London, England. On returning to the United States in 1991 he engaged in free lance consulting to the U.S. Navy. He was a member of the Picayune Rotary Club where he was a past president.

He was preceded in death by his father, Maurice Martin.

Survivors include his wife, Geraldine Ahearn Martin of Diamondhead; five sons, Stephen Martin of Boston, Jeffrey Martin of St. Louis, Jonathan Martin of Ft. Worth, Texas, James Martin of Seville, Spain, and Michael Martin of London; his mother, Rose Miko Martin of Hartford; a brother, Donald Martin of Chicago; a sister, Elizabeth Aronson of Lebanon, Conn.; and six grandchildren.

A memorial service was conducted Wednesday at Annunciation Catholic Church in Kiln.

McDonald Funeral Home in Picayune was in charge of arrangements.

The family prefers memorials to the American Cancer Society or Quality Hospice of the Gulf Coast.

JOHN T. MOORE

John Thomas Moore, 73, of Pass Christian, died Sunday, Oct. 3, 1999, in Pass Christian.

Survivors include his wife, Lela Lynch Moore; a son, John W. Moore of Burlington, N.C.; a daughter, Cynthia Moore Padgett of Greensboro, N.C.; and four grandchildren.

Services were conducted Wednesday at the family home in Pass Christian.

The family prefers memorials to Gulfport Memorial Hospice, P. O. Box 1810, Gulfport, MS 39520, or Loaves and Fishes, 268 Main Street, Biloxi, MS 39530.

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St. Rock homecoming

St. Rock United Methodist Church, 301 Herlihy Street, Waveland, will have homecoming Sunday, Oct. 10, 2 p.m. to celebrating 91 years of service.

The Rev. Roy London, pastor of St. Paul and Oak Grove United Methodist Church, Columbia, Miss. will be guest speaker.

Everyone is invited.

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Fire department highlighted Safety Day

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO
With sunny skies the Bay St. Louis Fire Department began setting up early for the 3rd Annual Public Safety Day in the Bay, the annual Fire Prevention Week kickoff.

Before families began a busy Saturday of activities, including youth football games, OLA's Food Fest, Celebrate the Gulf and others, they arrived to participate in the day of specially planned events to promote fire prevention and life safety.

The National Fire Safety Council's Firepup, and the Crash Test Dummies were the special guests of the day.

More than 250 adults and children watched Tennessee Gas demonstrations about natural and propane gas safety. This is Tennessee Gas's first year to participate in Public Safety Day.

The company's representatives from Houma had a great time in Bay St. Louis and committed to return for next year's event.

Highlights of the day were rope rescue demonstrations coordinated by Captain Pam San Philippo and the drama of a firefighter team putting out a car fire coordinated by Training Officer Mike Willumitis.

Lt. Ronald Avery and Firefighter Eddie Bourgeois rappelled from the roof of the Depot, rescued a victim from a second floor window and safely brought them to the ground.

Firefighters Monty Strong, Tony Bond, Brian Sellier and Matt Wittman handled the car burn demonstration. Firefighters Bill Russell, Rusty Necaise, Richard Trudell and Tony Bond made the extrication demonstration, Jaws of Life.

Captain Louis Prendergast was available for CPR demon-



Firepup waves in front of the city's new Ferrara pumper during Public Safety Day activities last Saturday. Firepup was the fire department's special guest for the day and brought to spend a day in the Bay by Ed Bacon, Mississippi/Louisiana education coordinator for the National Fire Safety Council.

strations and to explain the Department's Special Operations unit, used for a variety of emergencies, including the handling of hazardous materials.

All firefighters were with their various trucks and equipment to demonstrate to guests the different equipment used in various suppression situations.

Children sitting in the driver's seat and getting to ring the antique fire bell from an earlier city's owned pumper had the most fun.

The Police Department's K-9, Zoro, and his handler, Sgt. Paul Cox, demonstrated Zoro's techniques in locating drugs and other items hidden in automo-

biles.

Joining Cox and speaking with guests was Special Agent John Bordages, Waveland Police Department, assigned to the Hancock County Narcotics Task Force.

Sgt. Joe Kepfer and two of the city's newest officers Henry Bouganin and Dena Lacy helped to fingerprint children and provide parents with the prints for safe keeping. The officers talked to the children about stranger safety, reinforcing parental guidance.

"We had several supporters who helped make this event special for the community, including Bulldog Towing pro-

viding cars used in the car burn and extrication demonstrations.

"Total Security donated hot dogs, Hancock County RSVP, cups, and Asst. Chief Brian Adam miscellaneous items to supply Hot Dog Heaven.

"Johnny's Automotive also provided one of the cars used in demonstrations. It was a great day, and we are all looking forward to next year," said Fire Chief Robert Gavagnie.

Receipts from Hot Dog Heaven, operated by the Friends of the Depot, were donated to Fire Department efforts to establish the Fire Prevention and Life Safety Education Center.

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Hancock School District property tax decreases

Property owners in the Hancock County School District will experience a decrease in school taxes next year.

The school tax rate will drop from 52 mills for the 1998-99 fiscal year to 50.95 mills for the 1999-2000 fiscal year that be-

gan Oct. 1 and ends Sept. 30, 2000.

This millage decrease means that owners of a \$75,000 home will save \$7 to \$8.

Hancock County School District has the third lowest millage rate on the Mississippi Gulf

Coast.

Rates for several other Coast districts include Biloxi, 39.10; Harrison County 47.38; Pascagoula, 51.94; Jackson County, 54.57; Bay-Waveland, 57.00; Pass Christian, 57.93; Gulfport, 61.78; Long Beach, 72.94; and Ocean Springs, 76.54.

State Farm, Salvation Army launch 'winter relief drive'

State Farm Insurance and The Salvation Army have teamed up to help the needy citizens of Alabama and Mississippi keep warm this winter season.

During the week of Oct. 18-22 State Farm agents and claims offices in the states of Alabama and Mississippi will open their doors to collect winter apparel and blankets.

"Winter Relief Drive" is a joint project for the national "Make a Difference Day," October 23.

Participating State Farm locations will be collecting coats, gloves, ear muffs, knit caps, ski caps, sweaters, jackets, blankets, scarves and personal hygiene items.

After collecting the donated items during the week, State Farm will deliver them to their

local Salvation Army on "Make a Difference Day."

For additional information about the State Farm/Salvation Army "Winter Relief Drive," contact Pam McCaffrey, public

relations director for the ALM Division of The Salvation Army, (601) 969-7560, visit the ALM web site at www.redshield.org/alm, or contact any local State Farm Insurance office.

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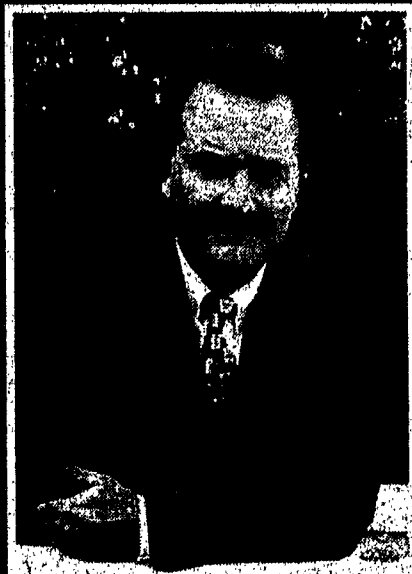
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PROFESSIONAL: 25 years teaching experience; Practicing attorney

CIVIC: Almost a decade of attendance and participation in BSL City Council meetings; Chairman, BSL Community Association; Chairman, Legal Affairs Subcommittee of the Department of Marine Resources' Comprehensive Resource Management Planning Team; Member, Advisory Council of City-County Community Education

PAST: President, BSL Association of Educators; Board member & Secretary, Hancock Co. Human Resources Council; Member, BSL Democratic Municipal Executive Committee; Member, Hancock Co. Chamber of Commerce Education Committee; Board member, BSL Little Theatre

VOTE TUESDAY, OCT. 12th

Paid for by the Peggy Dutton Campaign



"CUEVAS' QUOTES"

By Ellis C. Cuevas

Saturday is the long-awaited day for Hancock Bank's Centennial anniversary celebration.

Hancock Bank was originally known as the Hancock County Bank and was later changed to Hancock Bank.

The first office of the bank was located on Main Street in Bay St. Louis in a building behind the current Beach Boulevard location.

There are many of us around who can remember Hancock Bank only being located in Bay St. Louis, Pass Christian and Gulfport.

Hancock Bank is the second oldest business to begin in Hancock County still in operation. The Sea Coast Echo began publishing on January 9, 1892.

The Bay St. Louis Railroad Depot is a fitting place for Hancock to hold its big celebration, as the railroad was the key to the development of the area for so many years.

Festivities begin at 9 a.m. and Leo Seal Jr., tells us that he and the bank's staff and others have been gathering photos, stories, etc., of the many industries which led to the development of Hancock County and the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

There will be live entertainment throughout the day. It will include the Coast Chorale, the Singing River Sounds, St. Rose de Lima Gospel Choir, St. Stanislaus Prep Band, The Relative Unknown, and Brother Lee Barker's Magic Show.

There will even be cinema schedules, such as Hancock Bank's Centennial Chronicle, You and Your Bank: A Successful Partnership for the Year 2000, the movie This Property is Condemned, and Centennial Reflections.

The movie This Property is Condemned was primarily filmed in Bay St. Louis in 1966. It had such stars as Robert Redford, Natalie Wood and Charles Bronson. One of the buildings in the "back of town" setting for the movie which was an ice cream parlor was very familiar to me, as I worked in it when it was Hubbard's Hardware in the early 1950's.

There will be refreshments, cake, jambalaya, snowcones, and many of the old-time games such as checkers, marbles, may pole and ring-toss.

Marbles was one of the chief games we played across the street from the depot at St. Stanislaus' Back School.

Sounds like it will be a tremendous day for Hancock Bank and Hancock County.

Bay St. Louis work crews have been very busy for the past several weeks in preparation for the annual Cruisin' the Coast.

Friday and Saturday are the two big days for Bay St. Louis in the four-day event.

The Bay city workers have been clearing litter, cutting grass, sweeping the streets and doing everything to make the city look its best for the big event.

We know from previous Cruisin' the Coast events that the participants are always very complimentary from the welcome they received from the businesses and residents of the Bay and immediate area.

The activities are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Bay on both Friday and Saturday.

Live entertainment scheduled Friday includes bands Starz at 11 a.m.; Prime Time, 1 p.m.; and Sha Na Na at 3 p.m.

Saturday's schedule is Figure Eight at 10 a.m.; Pat Murphy, noon; Vince Vance & The Valiants, 2 p.m.; and Pure Gold at 4 p.m.

Several streets in Bay St. Louis will be closed for both Friday and Saturday for the Cruisin' event.

The band stand will be on Beach Boulevard at Main Street.

They are expecting well over 2,500 rod, custom and classic cars. Many are from the 1950's and 1960's and a number of earlier vintage vehicles.

Activities begin at Rice Pavilion in Gulfport for registration of the vehicles on Thursday, and the event will close on Sunday afternoon.

We hope to see you downtown in Bay St. Louis on Friday and Saturday.

It was a great homecoming for the Bay High Tigers last week. There was a very nice parade, high school football victory and homecoming dance celebrated by students and their guests and friends.

On the gridiron Friday night, the Tigers ran for 442 yards in a stunning 35-30 victory over Oak Grove.

This week Bay High will tangle with Petal at Petal in another conference game. The Tigers need to keep up the momentum, as they have some very competitive games in the coming weeks.

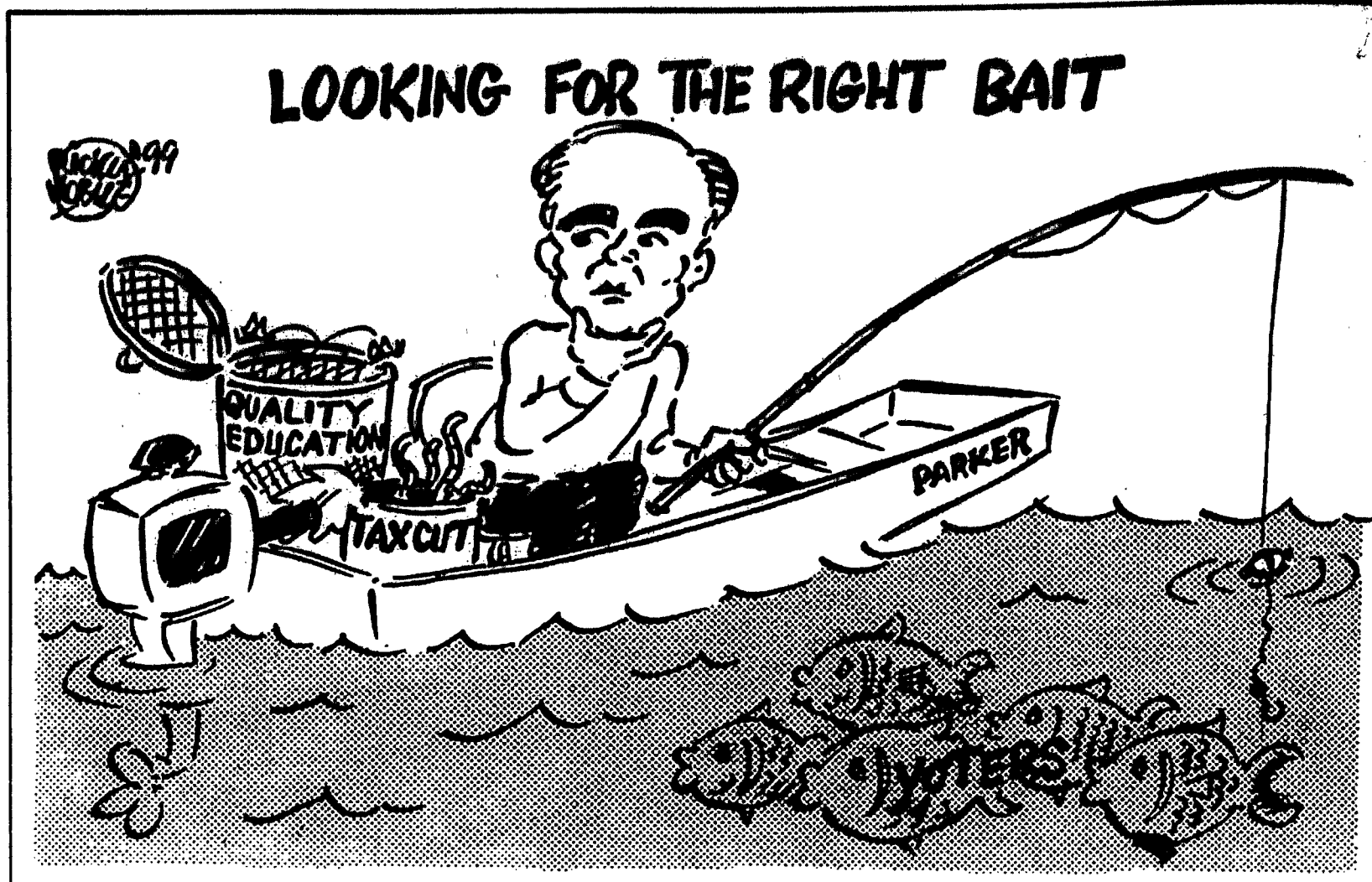
The Hancock Hawks put the steam on last Friday with a 32-12 victory over rival Pearl River Central, for the second conference win of the season. The Hawks are now 4-2 for the year and appear to be improving each week.

St. Stanislaus needs to rebound after two straight conference losses. Last Friday the Rocks were downed by a strong Columbia team 26-14 in district play.

Stanislaus has to get back together as this week they will go after Pearl River Central, a team smarting after being defeated by Hancock last week.

This will also be an away game for the Rocks.

Pass Christian will try to get in the win column this week when they travel to Greene County.



Truth must be in news reporting

That a newspaper can and may write about controversial issues or people is a right guaranteed by the First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America.

By reporting news, the editor of this newspaper can and will, if he does his job properly, run afoul of a personality or a whole family of personalities.

When this editor does publish a story or an editorial, which has some deep recriminations of men and society, those adversely imaged have rights.

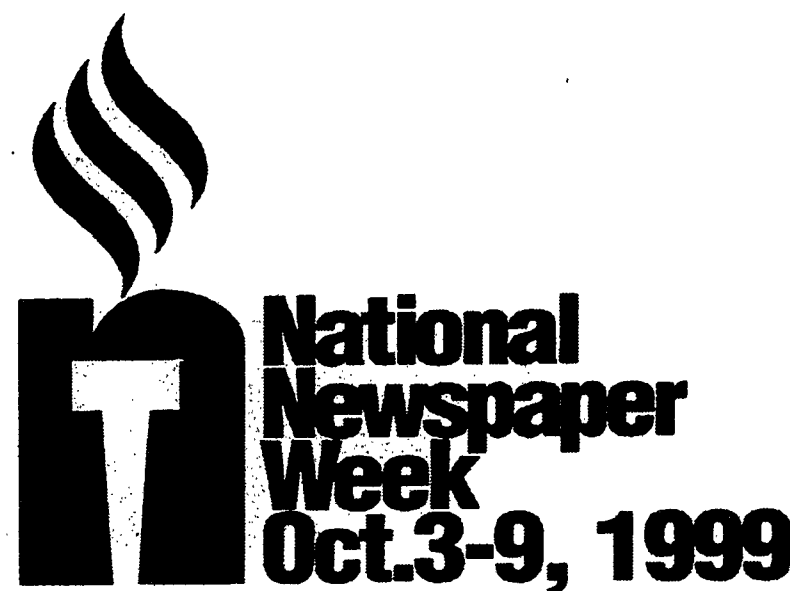
Most newspapers ask for the views of the people involved on all sides of a controversy. Sometimes this is not possible, but the stories and the truth must flow to the American public.

Some of those adversely affected respond to a request for an interview. Others do not. Often, we see them launch their own investigations - one group to find its errors and correct; others to find something wrong with the editor and launch an attack on him.

In the case of this newspaper, not only are those adversely affected invited to share their story, our staff seeks to ferret out all the facts involved and the people who are the causes. We investigate and report as thoroughly as possible.

In the event there is an error made in a story about a person or an event, or if there is just a misconstruction of facts by a reader, our newspaper has a long history of offering a rebuttal or offering a person an opportunity to state any opinion he thinks should be published.

Our readers are welcomed to state their views of stories,



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especially if they differ from ours, or even if they just think our reporting is in bad taste or does not come up to community standards. This is America. We want people to express themselves, especially through our newspaper.

Our newspaper faces another aspect of reporting news. Rather than print only the chamber of commerce puff or the bulletin board notices from the churches and city hall, it is a newspaper's responsibility to print all the news.

News is defined as "the unusual." There is a need of the average citizen to have this news reported to him by the newspaper. It is important to him to have a source of information about issues and people that is the truth, plainly and simply the truth.

Nobody who plays on the golf course dictates to us what we print or don't print. Nobody who delivers weekly sermons from the pulpit dictates, either, what we print or don't print. Nor, do any of the people who might fall in the categories in between dictate to us or influence us on

what we do report or do not report.

Responsible editors do not doctor stories to suit politicians or preachers.

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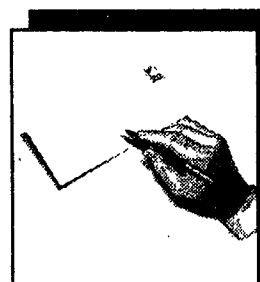
paper which prints no news the editor deems "bad;" or, they can read our paper which regards truth as the ultimate goal in reporting and reporting all the news accurately and fairly.

Not reporting part of the story is irresponsible in our view - we will enthusiastically search for all the facts and report them accordingly.

It is in the tradition of John Peter Zenger and Thomas Paine that we report news. When it does get down to the news in our columns, we do not "doctor" stories and we do not "soften" them for any person or special interest group.

We try to put out a good weekly newspaper for all the people who prefer their news with the truth, all of it. Too often, the news we report is something you need to know. Don't let a single issue escape your perusal. You need to know the truth in your newspaper and so does America.

(By Goodloe Sutton, the editor and publisher of The Democrat-Reporter, a newspaper in Linden, Ala.)



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Hancock Library System has remarkable achievements

To the Editor:

During a time when cynicism and complaint abound, and in light of some stories recently printed regarding the Harrison Library System, I find it appropriate to highlight the remarkable achievements of the Hancock Library System.

Nearly four years ago the expertise of a consultant was enlisted to provide suggestions and ways to improve our library system.

With that guidance and the innovative leadership and stellar support of library officials and Hancock County Supervisors, our community has reaped many benefits.

The Bay St. Louis branch - our main headquarters - was expanded; we saw construction of the much-needed new Kiln library; and not least of all, we were able to bear witness to the successful collaborative effort between our school system and public library in building the Pearlington Library.

The creation of the Library Foundation has also served us well, as it fosters the financial support necessary for continued development of the venerable institution throughout our

county.

The importance of libraries cannot be understated. Books are windows through which we see the world. They allow us to break out from our provincial shackles and envision bygone eras, far-away countries, and solar systems.

And libraries - even more than teachers - are our selfless guides to educational excellence and the future. They are a place where we can join together as citizens and expand our minds and broaden our horizons.

We must recognize the invaluable role they serve and applaud all those who support our library system and its legacy to literacy.

Our Hancock County Supervisors and city officials from Bay St. Louis and Waveland must be recognized and commended for making our library a priority.

Thank you for demonstrating such outstanding commitment to your home, and know that effort is greatly appreciated.

Most sincerely,
Tammy Brinkley
Douglas Brinkley
Bay St. Louis

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Council discusses Magic road closure

BY MARY G. SEILEY
Plans for a new Eckerd's Drug Store were shown Tuesday to Bay St. Louis City. During protracted meetings Monday and Tuesday nights, council also aired controversy over the recent temporary closing of Casino Magic Road, and approved a major increase in the city's sewer rehabilitation contract.

Building Official Bill Carrigee said developers want to demolish the shopping center building which stretches parallel to Highway 90 at Dunbar Street, to make room for a new 11,000 square foot structure featuring a drive through for the pharmacy. The new building will be twice the size of the existing structure, and house only one tenant, said Carrigee.

The other building on the property, now home to a furniture store and a Goodwill store, will have a new facade matching the drug store theme, said Carrigee.

Carrigee said the proposed site plan from Florida developers will head for action by the Planning and Zoning Commission within a few weeks.

No confirmation of plans by Eckerd's to build a new store was available Wednesday. The existing store is in the shopping center on the north side of Highway 90, just across the street. A new one-hour photo lab recently opened in that store.

In other building-related business Tuesday, council mem-

bers heard Carrigee outline repeated futile attempts to enforce various provisions of the city's building and property maintenance code. Issuing notices of violations and attempting to resolve them in court, he said, has proven to be time consuming, frustrating, expensive and ineffective.

"It's a waste of time because nothing is getting done," said council President Carleen Moran of the existing system.

Council agreed with Carrigee that the city should look at a new code enforcement mechanism that's been put into place in Hattiesburg, and they asked him to provide details for council's action later. In other business, council members asked City Attorney John Scaffide to clarify the ownership of Casino Magic Drive, which runs from Blue Meadow Road to the casino site.

Moran said the street was closed Sept. 29, from midnight to 6 a.m., without notice to the public, the city Fire Department or area 911 officials. Moran said the casino closes the street once a year briefly, apparently to establish legal ownership of the route.

This year's closing, however, prompted complaint calls from property owners other than Casino Magic — one resident on Blue Meadow telephoned Moran at 4:30 a.m. to complain about the blue flashing lights of city patrol cars and loud police radios.

Council members were confused over the extent of Casino Magic's ownership and rights in the matter. Why, for instance, would city police be called on to close the street, if it were owned by Casino Magic, asked council member Connie Lampley.

What rights-of-way allow usage of Casino Magic Drive by a radio station located near Blue Meadow remained unclear Tuesday night. Also, council was not sure how the street ownership question will impact plans for a new RV park next to the radio station, Scaffide said. An easement is recorded giving the five-acre radio station tract access off Casino Magic Drive, but it is not clear what, if any, portion of the street is dedicated to use by the public.

Moran said at the very least the casino should issue public notice of closings in the future. And the city needs to know its own legal standing to do drainage work along the roadway, Moran added.

"If the city owns that road, it won't be shut down anymore," said council member Tad Black. Scaffide promised a report at the next meeting.

In other matters, council agreed to increase spending for sewer line rehabilitation by \$121,469. The additional work by BO Brothers provides for additional re-lining of damaged sewer lines, more television inspections and 12 more point repairs.

Council also rejected a recom-

mendation from the Planning and Zoning Commission that would have allowed a Boh side yard variance at 600 North Beach Boulevard. Dr. Tom Seglio had asked for the variance to build a single story addition to the existing dwelling there.

But Council member James Thriffley said the variance would set bad precedent, particularly for construction on beachfront property.

Seglio said he wants to build a 20-foot-wide addition to a portion of his house that exists as a one-story appendage, squaring off the front facade. Even without a variance, he said he could build a 14-foot-wide, two-story addition.

Council members Moran, Thriffley and Black voted against the variance. Council member Lampley abstained.

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Schloegel favors purchase

BY ED LEPOMA
George A. Schloegel of Gulfport, the president of Hancock Bank of Mississippi, was among those testifying before a U.S. House of Representatives Subcommittee last week on behalf of adding Cat Island to the Gulf Islands National Seashore.

Schloegel made a copy of his statement available to the Echo, and he noted his appearance before congress "is deja vu for me."

"Under the able leadership of Mr. James Stevens, a New Jersey native who migrated to the Mississippi Gulf Coast and became our most beloved historian and civic leader, House Resolution 10874 was introduced May 5, 1969," Schloegel told members of the Subcommittee. Sponsors of that bill included Congressman William Colmer of Mississippi (now deceased), who was then chairman of the House Rules Committee, and congressman from Florida, Alabama and Louisiana.

Schloegel said the bill created the Gulf Islands National Seashore "to preserve one of America's most historic and scenic chains of barrier islands."

"Included in the original bill was Mississippi's Petit Bois Island, Ship Island, Horn Island and Cat Island," said Schloegel. "My good friend and owner of

Cat Island, the late Nathan Boddie and his family, did not want to sell Cat Island at the time and Mr. Colmer, in his infinite wisdom, did not want to invoke eminent domain." So, Schloegel said it was decided to delete Cat Island from the bill.

The legislation creating the Gulf Islands National Seashore passed Congress on Jan. 8, 1971.

"Today's testimony is not only about buying an island, it is also about preserving a piece of American history," Schloegel told Congressmen. "Three hundred years ago this year, on February 10, 1699, the French established a beachhead on the (barrier) islands when they sailed through the pass between Cat Island and Ship Island and built Fort Maurepas on the mainland in Ocean Springs."

Schloegel said his experience with the barrier islands goes back several generations.

"My father, Joseph A. Schloegel Sr., personally led the effort to keep Fort Massachusetts (at Ship Island) from being destroyed by the encroaching sea in the early 1930's. I was a part of the effort from 1965 to 1971, to have the islands transferred from private to public ownership. I am a Cofounder and chairman-emeritus of the Friends of the Gulf Islands National Seashore. I serve as chairman of the reconstruction of the Ship Island lighthouse

originally built in 1853, destroyed in 1861 during the Civil War, rebuilt in 1886, accidentally burned in 1972 and rebuilt Oct. 9, 1998, Schloegel said.

He also praised the beauty of Cat Island, which he said provides "inexpensive accessibility to sports fishing."

"Fishermen do not need costly boats to enjoy this water," said Schloegel. "Families have access to gigging flounders at night or wade fishing along the sandy beaches with only a pole and a line. Just last month, our own Congressman Gene Taylor, and his daughter, Emily, landed a monster redfish, employing a hand-over-hand line, much like the Old Man and the Sea and presented a delicious meal to their entire family," said Schloegel.

Taylor introduced a House Resolution, which would have the National Parks Service purchase most of the 2,100-acres on Cat Island from the Boddie heirs, and both Mississippi Senators will sponsor similar legislation in the upper chamber. Schloegel was testifying on behalf of the Friends of the Gulf Islands National Seashore.

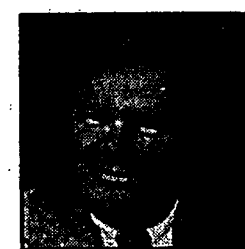
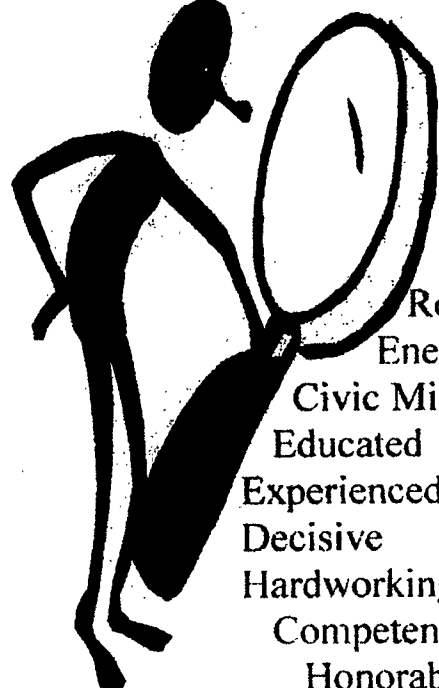
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GULFPORT RICE PAVILION

- Auto Registration 1-5 p.m.
- Hancock Bank/K99 Block Party 9 a.m.-2 p.m. (Downtown Gulfport)
- Vendor Set-up (Wednesday noon until Thursday noon and also after 4 p.m. Thursday)

LONG BEACH

- Staging for Parade L. B. High School 4-6 p.m.
- Kickoff Cruise L. B. Harbor 6-7:30 p.m.
- Sponsors Reception 5:30-9:30 p.m.
- Rockin' At the Dock 6:30-7:30 p.m. featuring ISIS

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- Cruisin' Times 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Live Entertainment! Starz 11 a.m.-12 p.m. Prime Time 1-2 p.m. Na Na Sha 3-4:30 p.m.

GULFPORT RICE PAVILION

- Drag Races at Gulfport Dragway. Park Opens at 8 a.m. Time Trials begin at 9:30 a.m.
- Auto registration 9 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Auto Swap Meet 8 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Cruisin' Times 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Live Entertainment! Figure Eight 11 a.m.-12 p.m. Bennie Anderson's Drifters 1-2 p.m. History of Rock & Roll 3-4:30 p.m.

BILOXI

- Cruisin' Times 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Exotic Chevrolet Display 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Live Entertainment! Perfect Mix 11 a.m.-12 p.m. Domino 1-2 p.m. Vince Vance & the Valiants 3-4:30 p.m.

LONG BEACH

- Country Cruisin' Breakfast Buffet (Long Beach Yacht Club) 7:30-11 a.m.
- Hospitality & Information Comfort Station 9 a.m.-5 p.m. (Free coffee, CTC and tourism info.)

D'IBERVILLE

- Cruisin' Times 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Swap Meet & Arts & Crafts 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Live entertainment! Platinum Cafe 11 a.m.-12 p.m. Frankie & the Cruisers 1-2 p.m. Bill Haley's Comets 3-4:30 p.m.

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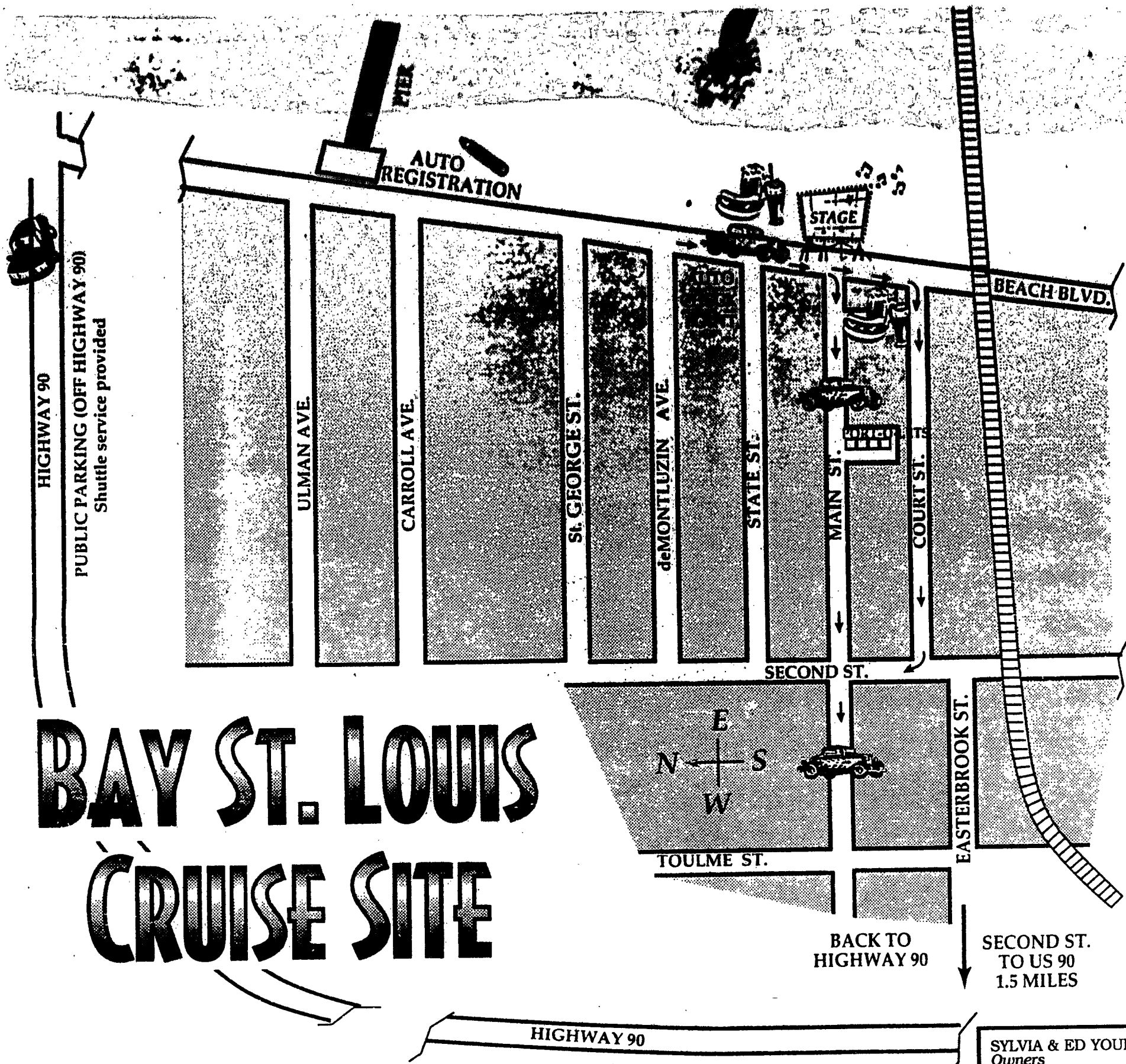
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 Shows at 9 and 11 p.m.



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- Auto Registration (For year 2000 only) 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
- Auto Swap meet 8 a.m.-2 p.m.
- Cruisin' Time 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
- Early Bird Cash Drawing 9 a.m.
- ISIS 12-1 p.m.
- Cash Drawings, Poker Run
- Winners Announced & Drag Racing Trophies Awarded 1 p.m.

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- Country Cruisin' Breakfast Buffet featuring Dixieland Jazz (Long Beach Yacht Club) 7:30-11 a.m.

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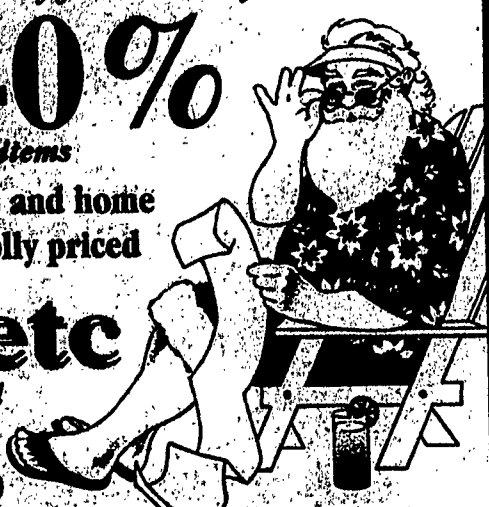
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Obits

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LILY MAE PLAISANCE

Lily Mae Peterman Plaisance, 77, of Gretna, La., died Monday, Oct. 4, 1999, in Gretna.

Mrs. Plaisance was a native of New Orleans and a longtime resident of Gretna. She was a Catholic.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Philip and Lilly Gardemal Wiltz.

Survivors include a son, Fred J. Peterman Jr. of Waveland; two daughters, Linda Lerrille of Harvey and Sharon Balkum of Gretna; 11 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild.

A prayer service will be conducted today at 10 a.m. at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis.

The family prefers memorials to one's favorite charity and the offering of masses.

EDNA S. PRICE

Edna S. Price, 82, of Pass Christian, died Friday, Oct. 1, 1999, in Gulfport.

Mrs. Price was born Dec. 2, 1916 in DeLisle and was a member of St. Stephen Catholic Church in DeLisle.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Albert Prince; a daughter, Verna Swanier; her parents, Willie and Lillian A. Swanier Sr.; and a sister, Annie M. Jacobs.

Survivors include two sisters, Almarie S. Jacobs of Pass Christian and Shirley Hines of Atlanta; and a brother, Olteray Swanier of DeLisle.

Services were conducted Wednesday at St. Stephen Catholic Church in DeLisle, followed by burial in the church cemetery.

J. T. Hall Funeral Home in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

BLANCHE P. SEYMOUR

Blanche Pauline Seymour, 87, of Ocean Springs, died Sunday, Oct. 3, 1999, in Ocean Springs.

Mrs. Seymour was a lifelong resident of the St. Martin community. She was a homemaker and was a Catholic.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ervin Adam Seymour; a daughter, Monica Lee; and a brother, Wilford Seymour.

Survivors include two sons, Wilmer Seymour of Bay St. Louis and Merrell Seymour of St. Martin; a daughter, Maxine Seymour of Ocean Springs; two sisters, Willmetta Ferguson of Ocean Springs and Helen Basque of Ocean Springs; a brother, Samuel Seymour of Ocean Springs, eight grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Visitation was Monday evening at Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home in Ocean Springs. Services were conducted Tuesday in the funeral home chapel. Burial was in Seymour Cemetery in Gulf Hills.

CHLOE' VONDERBRUEGGE

Infant Chloe' Hayden Vonderbruegge, 4 months, of Bay St. Louis, died Monday, October 4, 1999, in Gulfport.

She was born in Slidell and lived with her parents in Bay St. Louis. She was christened Catholic and attended St. Rose de Lima Catholic Church in Bay

St. Louis with her parents.

She was preceded in death by her maternal great-great-grandmother, Jeanne Seckso; and her maternal great-grandfather, George M. Bezou Sr.

Survivors include her parents, J. Bryan and Nicole Renee' Bezou Vonderbruegge of Bay St. Louis; her maternal grandparents, John and Michelle Bezou of Bay St. Louis; her paternal grandparents, Chuck and Linda Vonderbruegge of Long Beach; her maternal great-grandparents, Paul and Alice Seckso of Diamondhead and Marie Bezou of Bay St. Louis; her paternal great-grandparents, Dola Cuevas of Gulfport and Ruby E. Hodge of Bogalusa, La.; and her godparents, Bo Vonderbruegge of Gulfport and Remy Bezou of Bay St. Louis.

Visitation will be today, 1-2 p.m. at St. Rose de Lima Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis. A Mass of the Angels will follow at 2 p.m. at the church with interment to follow in St. Mary Cemetery in Bay St. Louis.

Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis is in charge of arrangements.

The family prefers memorials to the Meningitis Foundation of America, Inc., 7155 Shadeland Station, Suite 190, Indianapolis, IN 46256-3922 or The Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse, 3201 D Avenue, Gulfport, MS 39507.



CHLOE' VONDERBRUEGGE

St. Ann-St. John Church News

God giveth the shoulder according to the burden.

German Proverb
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Psalms 55:22
There are a good many problems before the American people today, and before me as a precedent, but I expect to find the solution of those problems just in the proportion that I am faithful in the study of the word of God.

Woodrow Wilson
Your statutes are my delights; they are my counselors.

Psalms 119:24
Patience is the best remedy for most trouble.

It is not good to have zeal without knowledge, nor to be

hasty and miss they way.

Proverbs 19:2
The St. Ann-St. John Seafood Jamboree, planned for Saturday, Oct. 23, is just around the corner.

Donations for the white elephant booth will still be accepted. *Please do not bring any clothing.

St. Jude nine-day Novena will begin at 5 p.m. Mass Saturday, Oct. 23.

CCD classes are held each Monday and begin at 3:30 p.m. in the school building.

RCIA classes are held each Monday beginning at 6:45 p.m.

The Living Rosary project has been very well received.

I call on you, O God, for you will answer me; give ear to me and hear my prayer.

Psalms 17:6

Mississippi Art Colony show features Serenity Gallery

The Mississippi Art Colony Fall Travel Show will be featured at Serenity Gallery, 126 Main Street, Bay St. Louis from Saturday October 9 through November 13. The show consists of works of art ranging from abstract to figurative to photo realistic works.

Juried by Larry Jens Anderson, the head of the Drawing Department at the Atlanta College of Art, the exhibit features 25 selected works by Colony members.

Local artists included in the show are Elizabeth Schafer and Brenda Randolph, along with artists from throughout Mississippi and the surrounding states of Alabama, Louisiana, and Tennessee.

The juried show with award winners is selected at each workshop to travel around the state of Mississippi for six months.

The Smithsonian Institution lists the Colony as the country's oldest artist-run organization of its kind. Beginning in 1948 in

Allison's Wells Hotel in Way, Mississippi, the workshop now meets twice a year at Camp Henry Jacobs, a summer camp for Jewish children nestled in the midst of the piney woods near Utica, Mississippi.

Outstanding artist/instructors teach the five-day sessions which are held about the last week in April and the last week in September.

A primary goal of the Colony is to educate people on art and artists in Mississippi.

The influence of colony has reached far beyond the confines of our state or even the South. Largely, though certainly not entirely, the Colony has provided a ferment of ideas and a stimulation that has helped to create in our state and incomparable interest in art.

The influence of the colony on both schools and teachers throughout the state has been inestimable.

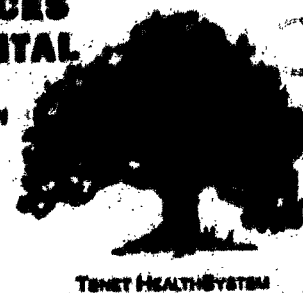
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City trying to ready street for Cruisin' the Coast

BY MARY G. SKILEY

City and tourism leaders were holding their breath at midweek to see that Second Street's paving is completed before an expected 2,500 to 3,000 antique and vintage cars roll into town on Friday.

Trying to ensure that it is, City Council left more than \$400,000 in payment to Colom Construction Co. dangling in the air. While Council approved payment of the sum under Colom's drainage project contract, they left it at the discretion of the mayor to sign the check and turn it over.

That move was prompted by concerns that Second Street would remain a bumpy, dirt construction site, inappropriate for travel by participants in the Cruisin' the Coast events which begin here Friday. Compounding the traffic congestion will be hundreds of vehicles headed for Hancock Bank's 100 Anniversary bash at the Depot on Saturday.

Public Works Director Ron Vanney told council, however, city officials have high hopes that the paving will be completed in time to allow use of Second as a downtown route. In addition, city leaders have averted Colom's earlier plans to begin drainage work on Main Street before the two events begin.

As it stands, Cruisin' traffic will enter the city on North Beach Boulevard at the bridge, and stop at a checkpoint in the vicinity of the Jimmy Rutherford Pier at Ulman Street.

Parking for the show autos will extend from the pier to a point just south of the railroad tracks. Street closings include Main, from Beach to Toulme Street, and about 150 feet of Court Street, Vanney said.

In the event that Second Street isn't paved in time, Vanney said Cruisin' cars will exit the city either from Main, via Easterbrook Street, or Washington Street, via Beach Boulevard.

That alternative routing, he said, should minimize any conflicts with Hancock Bank's bash at the Depot, if the Second Street paving isn't completed in time.

Aside from waving a \$411,584 check as incentive to see that the paving is completed, City Council has asked Colom and project engineer James Chiniche to attend a council workshop to discuss the work flow and relatively minor problems that the massive \$3.1 million drainage project has encountered.

In the meantime, City Council approved a change order for Second Street area paving that officials had expected Hancock County to finance. Two supervisors, Lisa Coward and Steve Seymour, had allocated county paving dollars to supplement the city's project in other areas.

And city officials had expected supervisor Philip Moran to do the same, but a commitment the city felt they had obtained from Moran didn't materialize, officials said this week.

"It's sad that we didn't get the help we anticipated," Mayor Eddie Favre said Monday. Council member Tad Black was more blunt, saying Moran allocated the money to the unincorporated area after Moran lost his bid for re-election.

At council's Tuesday meeting, Black said the city's additional expense for the paving was necessary because, "The county messed over on us." The change order totaled almost \$16,500.

Even as the city braced for what officials hope will be a wildly successful tourism weekend in town, they were given a preview of the slated Cruisin' activities here, and of much more to come.

Beth Carriere, director of the Hancock County Tourism Development Bureau, outlined plans for a tourism-promotional weekend she's put together for 50 meeting and convention planners in November.

Hoping to convince the schedulers to bring small and medium sized meetings and retreats to Bay St. Louis, Carriere got council's permission to use the Jimmy Rutherford pier for a banquet Nov. 5, featuring a catered dinner, music and a bonfire on the beach.

The weekend of activities includes stops at the Diamondhead Country Club, Ramada Inn, Key West Inn, Casino Magic, the Holiday Inn and the Depot, as well as a shopping tour and golf.

Carriere said she wants to assure the planners that all of the activities, including exclusive use of the pier, are available during the types of meetings she hopes to lure to this area.

Carriere said 2,300 automobiles are pre-registered to participate in this weekend's Cruisin' activities, which may lure as many as 3,000 cars. To

handle it all, there will be more police than at last year's events, as well as barricades to keep onlookers out of the traffic.

"I am NOT going to be out in the middle of the street this year directing traffic," Carriere assured council members during a light moment in her presentation. Last year, she recalled, "someone referred to me as the mouthy blond" directing traffic.


Aside from the Cruisin' promotion and the hopes of luring small conventions and meetings to Hancock County, Carriere told Council members that her bureau has been highly successful in attracting tour bus business to Bay St. Louis.

One company, Diamond Tours, has booked 6,800 room nights at Casino Magic for the coming year, she said. In the month of September, over 30 motor coaches brought passengers to town for guided tours and stops, offloading their tourists at a stop on Main Street in front of First Baptist Church.

Although one Main Street business owner complained about bus fumes, she said, other merchants are happy to see an average of 45 tourists arriving on the buses, spending money for lunch and shopping.

Council has agreed to fund the agency's efforts at \$30,000 this year, an increase of \$5,000 over last year's allocation.

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NAACP making preparation for Mother of the Year program

The Hancock County NAACP is making preparation for the 2000 Supper Theatre "Mother of the Year" Program, which will be held at Gulfside Assembly, 950 S. Beach Blvd, Waveland, Saturday, Jan. 8, 2000.

Contestants must submit names no later than Nov. 30. Rev. L.E. Morris, Sr., is president of the local branch. For information, call 467-2443 or 467-1528.

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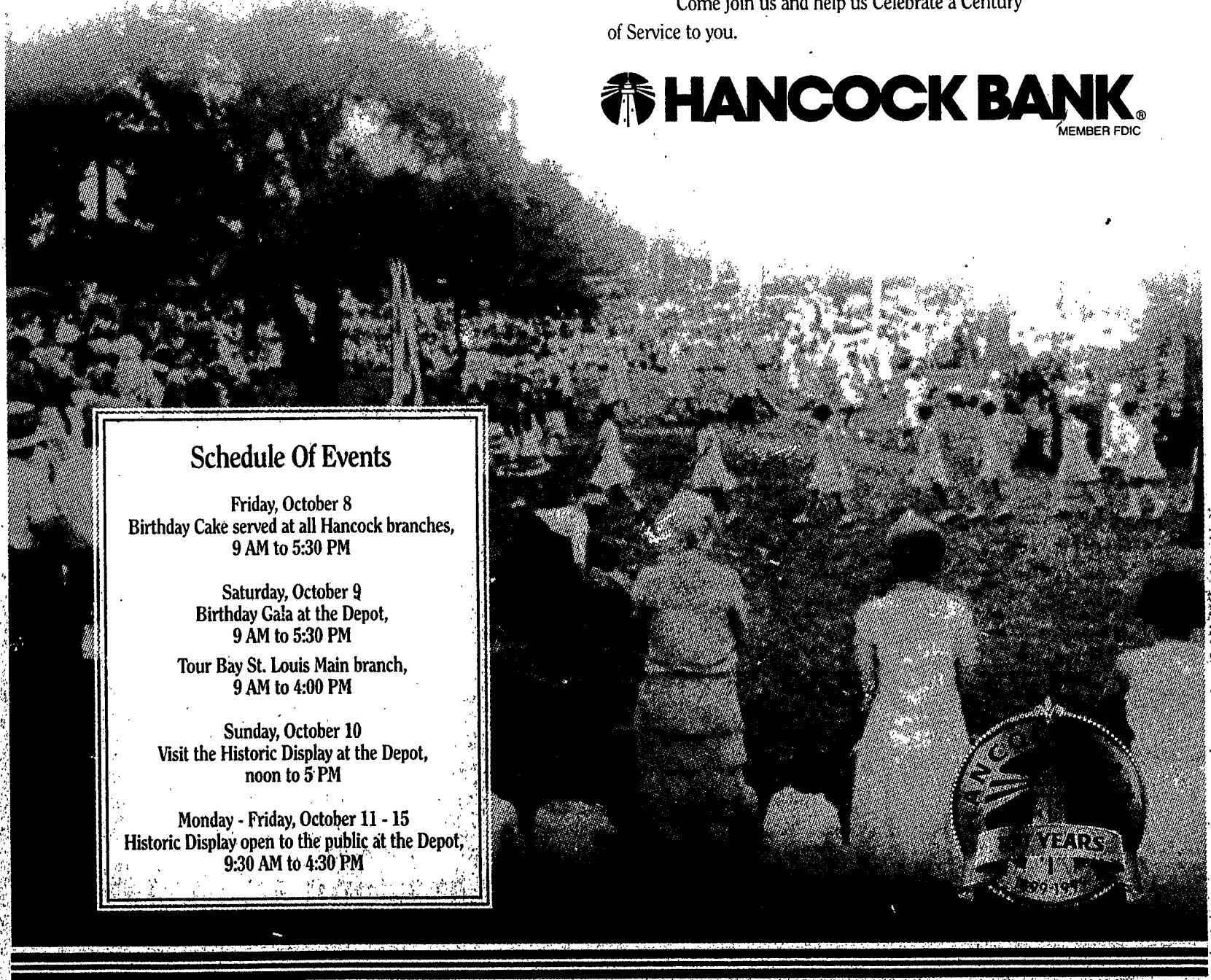
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Race -- nine vying for Rutherford's seat

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Marine Resources. An educator for 25 years, Dutton earned a law degree from the University of Mississippi School of Law, and a master's degree in education from the University of Southern Mississippi.

• Russell E. "Ree" Elliott, general manager of a national convention, trade show and marketing company. Elliott is a member of the city's Planning and Zoning Commission, and is president of the Bay St. Louis Youth Football and Cheerleader Association. Elliott earned a business administration degree at the University of Mississippi.

• Rene Joseph Ganucheau who filed as a candidate just

before the deadline on Saturday. Biographical data was not immediately available.

• William "Bill" LeBlanc, an aerospace industry executive with Lockheed Martin Corp., has chaired the Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church's Crab Festival for the past several years and was chairman of the building committee for the OLG Parish Community Center. LeBlanc also holds a Mississippi residential building contractor license.

• James L. "Jim" Mallini, a retired Marine and Vietnam veteran. A former owner of insurance agencies in Waveland, Kiln and Gulfport, Mallini was closely associated

with the Bay Business Association, and was chief investigator and spokesman for the Bay St. Louis Police Department. He has an associate degree in business management from Phillips College.

• Kelvin J. Schulz, owner of Big E. Grocery and Kelvin Refrigeration & Air Conditioning, is a licensed real estate broker. He has served as a Boy Scout leader, and as president of the Waveland Civic Association. He also was a charter member of the Hancock County Exchange Club.

• Doug Seal, a control systems specialist at GE Plastics who has been active in Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic

Church youth league sports, and a Boy Scout leader. He is a graduate of Picayune High School, US Navy Electronics Schools and the Mississippi Realtors Institute.

• William E. "Bill" Taylor, a computer programmer who retired in 1995 from the U.S. Naval Oceanographic Office at Stennis Space Center. A graduate of Bay High School, Taylor is an Air Force veteran.

• Harold "Rooster" Thomas Jr. Thomas is a 12-year employee of Tidewater Marine, and recently started a vinyl siding business in Bay St. Louis. He is a New Orleans native who moved to the Bay five years ago.

Casinos -- environmental impact

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corps has hired a private contractor, which will probably schedule public hearings throughout the coast late this month or in early November.

An Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) was proposed more than a year ago when environmentalist objected to a casino on Biloxi's Back Bay. But, the EIS will also gauge the effects of casinos and other large scale developments that

has taken place among the coast since Mississippi legalized gambling in 1992.

The EIS will encompass Hancock and Harrison Counties from U.S. 90 to about one mile north of Interstate 10. It will also study the Bay of St. Louis, the Mississippi Sound, Biloxi's Back Bay and waters in western Jackson county.

Environmentalists wanted a casino moratorium while the

lengthy study is under way, but Shelby emphasized, "There is no moratorium." In fact, she added, that casino permits would not be stopped during the EIS, and the Corps presently is completing a separate EIS on a multi-casino project proposed by the President Casino at the Broadwater Marina.

The study is expected to cost \$750,000 and won't be completed until June 2001, but it is not

being opposed by casino or marine interests.

Steve Oivanki, director of the Coastal Ecology Division of the state Department of Marine Resources, said, "We may fine everything is just fine."

Oivanki said the EIS will give all parties a good picture of the environmental and socioeconomic impacts of casinos so far and into the future.

Bank -- centennial celebration

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Hancock Bank of Louisiana and American Security Bank of Ville Platte, La., now boasts more than \$3 billion in assets, 94 full-service offices, 144 automated teller machines and several bank subsidiaries.

In its 100 years, Hancock Bank has had only six presidents, including Peter

Hellwege (1899-1907); Eugene H. Roberts (1908-1918); Horatio S. Weston (1918-1931); Leo W. Seal Sr. (1932-1963); Leo W. Seal Jr. (1963-1990); and George A. Schloegel (1990-present).

Leo W. Seal Jr. now serves as Hancock Holding Company president and CEO.

"As a corporation, we have far exceeded the confines of our original woodframe site," according to a press release issued by the company this week, "but the fundamental tenets upon which we were established -- strength, stability and integrity -- remain unwavering."

The anniversary celebration will run from 9 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. this Saturday, Oct. 9, and will include games "for big kids and small," a picture-book trip through Gulf South history, traditional music, classic movies, ice cream, birthday cake and gumbo.

Cat Island -- preservation effort

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Senate to add Cat Island to the National Seashore, and a separate funding authorization bill, which encourages the National Park Service to use unobligated land-acquisition funds for the purchase of the island.

Taylor said, "Cat Island is probably more pristine than the other islands in the Gulf

national chain." It includes 21 mile of coastal shoreline, including a six-mile stretch of undeveloped beach.

"Cat Island is a diverse habitat for a wealth of marine life and shorebirds, and is one of the best surfing spots along the entire Gulf Coast," He said the island supports a wider range

of vegetation and wildlife than the other islands that compose the Gulf Islands National Seashore.

If funding is authorized Taylor said the state would maintain jurisdiction over fishing regulations, which would continue to be enforced by the state Department of Marine

Resources.

Representatives from the National Parks and Conservation Association, the Mississippi Coast Audubon Society, the Gulf Island Conservancy, and the Sierra Club supported acquisition of Cat Island at last week's hearing.

Ladner -- fatal accident

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the passengers from Ladner's vehicle.

Ladner was pronounced dead at the scene.

A 19-year-old male passenger in Ladner's vehicle was hospitalized in critical condition, police said. The names of the other victims have not yet

been released. The accident is still under investigation.

Ladner, a Bay St. Louis native, was a member of St. Clare Catholic Church in Waveland. He was a 1998 graduate of Bay High School and a member of the 1999 United States Coast Guard Radar

School and was to be stationed at Charleston, S.C., on the USS Dallas.

Visitation was Tuesday at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Wednesday at St. Clare Catholic Church. Interment fol-

lowed in Lakeshore Cemetery with full military honors.

The family prefers memorials to Gaits to Success Therapeutic Equestrian Center, c/o Charles Benvenutti, CPA, PA, 831 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520.

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Hancock County Criminal Justice Facility and released under at \$5,000 bond. He has a November 2 Justice Court date set," Corr added.

Fleuriet served as an alderman in Waveland 1994-98, and was defeated in his bid for reelection in 1998.

Thomas announces bid for Bay St. Louis City Council



Harold 'Rooster' Thomas Jr.

Harold "Rooster" Thomas Jr. this week announced his bid to serve as Bay St. Louis City Councilman-at-Large.

Thomas is a 12-year employee of Tidewater Marine and

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BUSINESS NEWS

TDI-Halter completes super rig

TDI-Halter, the Offshore Division of Halter Marine Group Inc. (AMEX:HLX) Gulfport, recently completed the new construction of the first LeTourneau Super 116-C design jackup drilling rig for Perforadora Central, S.A. de C.V.

The jackup was christened the Tonalá on August 27, by Mrs. Gabriela Alvarez-Morphy, wife of Patricio Alvarez-Morphy president and CEO. Perforadora Central, S.A. de C.V. for operations in the Bay of Campeche.

Halter Marine Group utilized both their rig and marine shipyards for the construction of the "Tonalá" drilling rig.

The three 46 ft. diameter spudcans, built at the South Yard and three 477 ft. long legs, fabricated at the Orange Yard, were built in Texas and transported by barge to the Pascagoula facility.

The wingtank modules and accommodation block were built in Mississippi at Halter Marines Gulfport facility.

The cantilever beams were fabricated by Superior Fabricators in Louisiana and installed in Pascagoula. All other hull modules, heliport, drill floor etc. were built and assembled at the Pascagoula facility in Mississippi.

John Dane, chairman and CEO, Halter Marine Group, stated, "The construction of the 'Tonalá' illustrates Halter Marine Group's ability to bring together the resources and expertise of multiple shipyards to complete a project."

With a total workforce of 750 people, and a workforce dedicated to this project of 300 people, the Pascagoula facility was the site of the hull construction (243 ft. x 206 ft. x 26 ft.), and total integration of all systems.

The hull of the "Tonalá" was built on conventional blocks several hundred feet from the shoreline at the Pascagoula facility.

Early February 1999, the Pascagoula team launched the rig into Bayou Casotte. The rig was essentially complete at time of load-out missing only the drill floor and the upper sections of the leg.

With the rig along the shoreline, crews completed the installation of the legs' drill floor and derrick, followed by final outfitting, testing and commissioning.

The new "Tonalá" Super 116-C provides the worldwide offshore drilling industry with a versatile tool for various environments.

It is capable of both exploration and development drilling. Extended cantilever reach to 70 feet makes it an excellent tool for drilling on fixed platforms.

The jackup has a total steel weight of 7,370 short tons. The "Tonalá" is built to operate in 48-foot (14.6 m) waves and 70-knot (36m/s) wind in 350 feet (106.7 m) water depth and can survive up to 56-feet (17m) waves and 100-knot (52 m/s) winds.



Workers put the finishing touches on the new Waveland Market Center sign at Our Shopping Center in Waveland Wednesday. The store opens today at 10 a.m. in the old Schweggman's Giant Supermarket location in Our Shopping Center.

New Waveland Market Center celebrates grand opening today

ECHO STAFF REPORT

There's a new market in town.

The Waveland Market Center will celebrate its grand opening this morning at the Our Shopping Center in the old Schweggman's Giant Supermarket location.

Schweggman's closed last spring after its owners filed for bankruptcy.

The new store, owned by Howard Hamilton, will initially employ about 60 people, store manager Jason Hamilton said.

"We're really looking forward to getting out there and serving the people," Hamilton said.

May, Findley complete real estate license exam

Real estate examinations were held for the month of September in Jackson for those persons desiring to enter the field of real estate sales, rentals and other related real estate activities.

Four individuals sitting for the broker examination successfully completed the requirements and will now become licensed real estate brokers.

Thirty-four individuals, including Brenda May and Stephanie Findley of Hancock County, sitting for the salespersons examination successfully completed the requirements and will now be awarded the salespersons license.

The examination consists of 100 questions prepared by the American College Testing Services (ACT) for real estate license law officials across the United States and Canada.

Applicants are questioned concerning the Mississippi real estate law and rules and regulations governing their activities in that vocation.

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Howard Hamilton is also the owner of the Diamondhead Supermarket at Diamondhead Plaza, which has been in operation for the past 16 years.

Hamilton has spent several months completely renovating the old Schweggman's facility to make the new Waveland Market Center more customer-friendly, replacing old fixtures, furnishings and appliances and

re-painting from top to bottom, including new hand-painted murals.

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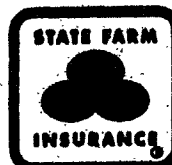
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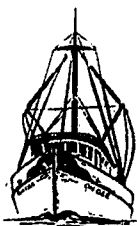
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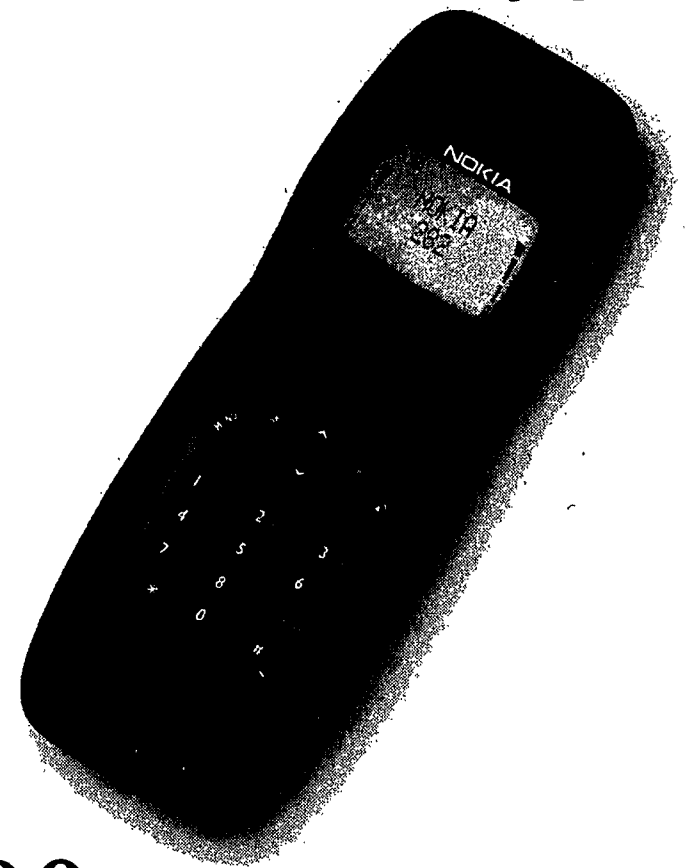
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Feelin' festive at the festivals



Hundreds turned out last weekend for the Our Lady Academy's International Food Festival in Bay St. Louis and the Gulf Marine Education Festival and COLLAGE art festival in Pass Christian. (Echo staff photos by Ed Lepoma, Chris Vickery and Geoff Belcher)



SPORTS

Bay St. Louis Youth Football League 1999 Homecoming Court

Queen Shelby Elizabeth Rigby. Rigby is 7-1/2 years old and is in the second grade at Bay Catholic Elementary. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rigby, Jr. She will be escorted by Hunter Beaugez.

Maid Brittany Elise Alleman. Alleman is 10 years old and is in the fifth grade at Bay Middle School. She is the daughter of Dwayne and Paulette Alleman. She will be escorted by Brennan Adam.

Maid Alyce Rachel Brogle. Brogle is nine years old and is in the fifth grade at Bay Middle School. She is the daughter of Daniel and Pennie Brogle. She will be escorted by Kevin Macuick.

Maid Robyn Beverly Buehler. Buehler is 10 years old and is in the fifth grade at Bay Middle School. She is the daughter of Andy and Pam Buehler. She will be escorted by Warren Buehler.

Maid Lauren Elizabeth Carpenter. Carpenter is seven years old and is in the second grade at Bay Catholic Elementary. She is the daughter of Elizabeth Suddeth and Robert Carpenter. She will be escorted by Taylor Rosson.

Maid Jennia Marie Catchings. Catchings is six years old and is in the first grade at North Bay Elementary. She is the daughter of Tania Marie Price. She will be escorted by Terrance Eley.

Maid Adele Lane Hoffmann. Hoffmann is six years old and is in the first grade at North Bay Elementary. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne J. Hoffmann. She will be escorted by Tanner Neil Adam.

Maid Christian Machele Jordan. Jordan is 11-1/2 years



Queen Shelby Elizabeth Rigby

old and is in the sixth grade at Bay Middle School. She is the daughter of Machele Jordan and Jeff Jordan. She will be escorted by Trevor Adam.

Maid Tywana Quianna Kaigler. Kaigler is 11 years old and is in the sixth grade at Bay Middle School. She is the daughter of Larry and Lois Kaigler. She will be escorted by LeShan Kaigler.

Maid Marisa Mercier. Mercier is 10 years old and is in the fifth grade at Gulfview Elementary School. She is the daughter of Joe and Crystal Leech. She will be escorted by Anthony De Pego.

Maid Amanda Kay Morris. Morris is 8 years old and is in the third grade at Waveland Elementary. She is the daughter of Rod and Kay Morris. She will be escorted by Shawn Bilbo.

Maid Brooke Moran. Moran is nine years old and is in the third grade at North Bay Elementary. She is the daughter of Gene and Annabelle Moran. She will be escorted by Kyle Moran.

Maid Shawna Lee Peneguy. Peneguy is nine years old and is in the fourth grade at Bay Middle School. She is the daughter of Sean and Charlene Peneguy. She will be escorted by Colby Adam.

Maid Shelby Jean Peneguy. Peneguy is seven years old and is in the second grade at Waveland Elementary. She is the daughter of Sean and Charlene Peneguy. She will be escorted by Britt Ordes.

Maid Bailey Perniciaro. Perniciaro is seven years old and is in the second grade at Waveland Elementary. She is the daughter of Edward and Kathy Perniciaro. She will be escorted by Brant Perniciaro.

Maid Taylor Elizabeth Turcotte. Turcotte is five years old and is in kindergarten at St. Clare Catholic Elementary. She is the daughter of Stephen and Dee Dee Turcotte. She will be escorted by Sam Grapusa.

Maid Kristina Williams. Williams is nine years old and is in the fourth grade at Bay Middle School. She is the daughter of Van and Joe'i Huynh. She will be escorted by Matthew Murray.

Maid Ashley Nicole Woods. Woods is six years old and is in the first grade at North Bay Elementary. She is the daughter of Brian and Tammy Woods. She will be escorted by Nico Ramirez.

Returning Queen Danielle LeBlanc. LeBlanc is nine years old and is in the fourth grade at Bay Middle School. She is the daughter of Sid and Rhonda LeBlanc.

For more information or to request an application, call the toll-free hotline at 800-521-2123 or visit the Footaction USA website at <http://www.footaction.com>.



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Footaction rewarding student-athletes with \$100,000 in college scholarships

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A group of 300 semifinalists will be selected by an independent administrator. Semifinal-

ists will be required to complete a more detailed application and submit additional information, including a 250-word essay.

"We want to emphasize the importance of academic achievement for young people while encouraging participation in sports and fitness activities," said Footaction President Shawn Neville.

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On the ball

Suzette Carlson, right, and Elizabeth Bell, both of Gulfport, won the Fall 1999 NTRP Ladies 3.0 Doubles Championship in Diamondhead Sept. 24-26, defeating Dorothy Danielson and Frances Ratcliffe of Flowood 6-4, 6-1.

'Heroes of Wrestling' live at Magic

On Sunday, Oct. 10, The Heroes of Wrestling will rise to any challenge, presenting a square circle slam-down memory lane, in the Magic Entertainment Complex at Casino Magic Bay St. Louis.

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Lady Tiger volleyball team

Members of the Bay High School Lady Tiger volleyball team are Magan Matthews, front row at left, Alexis Koskan, Shenma Ambrose, Andrea Sellier, back row at left, Ashley Ponder and Keely Marshall. The team is 14-1 overall and is the undefeated Division 8 champion with a 12-0 record. Bay High will host the opening round of the state playoffs Saturday at 1 p.m. in the Tiger Dome. (Echo staff photo by Randy Ponder)

Bay High, OLA advance to state volleyball playoffs

BY RANDY PONDER

The Bay High School Lady Tigers and the Our Lady Academy Crescents will represent Division 8 in the state volleyball playoffs beginning Saturday.

Bay High, (14-1), won the championship with a perfect 12-0 division record. OLA, (12-3), was second with a division record of 10-2, losing twice to the Lady Tigers.

This is OLA's first trip to the playoffs but Bay High has been there before. Last year the Lady Tigers posted a record of 18-4 and were division runner-ups, losing in the first round to Vancleave. Bay High was division champs in 97-98 with 20 wins and three losses. The team lost in the second round of the playoffs to St. Martin.

"We have had a successful season due to the ability of the entire team, not just one or two players, they all contribute," Lady Tiger coach Lis Lagarde said. "Even though Magan has the most blocks and Ashley the most serves, that doesn't mean

it won't change on any given night. The key is to always play as a team which is what they have done this year."

High scorers for Bay High are Ashley Ponder with 103, Keely Marshall with 87 and Alexis Koskan with 86. Magan Matthews leads the team in blocks while Andrea Sellier and Shenma Ambrose do most of the setting work.

Other members of the Bay High playoff squad include Natalie Acker and Christina Mueller who have played both junior varsity and varsity all season. JV players Melissa Ault and Christen Hartley will also join the playoff team.

The Lady Tigers will host the opening round of the playoffs Saturday at 1 p.m. They will face Division 6 runner-up South Pike. The winner will face the winner of the Meridian-Gautier contest. If Bay High wins they will be on the road Tuesday in the second round.

Crescent coach Steve Reboul will field a team made up of

three seniors; Jillian Hunter, Megan Pigott and Jodie Myers; one junior; Jill Rutherford; two sophomores; Emily Meyers and Mendy Davis; and freshman Julie Reboul. Junior varsity players Katherine Milner and Keith Puckett will also join the team for the playoffs.

"I'm proud of the way this team has played all year," Reboul stated. "They have toughed it out and played extremely well. The senior leadership has really been felt on the squad."

High scorers for OLA this year are Rutherford with 96, Reboul with 73, Myers with 71 and Meyers with 64.

The Crescents will travel to McComb to open the playoffs at 2 p.m. Saturday. McComb is the Division 6 winner with an overall record of 9-1. The winner of that contest will face the winner of the Vancleave-Piney Woods contest. The second round game will take place Tuesday at Velen C. Jones Gym in Bay St. Louis if OLA wins Saturday.

Lady Tigers win again

The Bay High School Lady Tigers defeated the visiting Mercy Cross Lady Crusaders, 15-6, 14-16 and 16-0, Tuesday night in high school volleyball.

Alexis Koskan and Andrea Sellier were high scorers for Bay High with 11 points each. The team is 14-1 overall and a perfect 12-0 in division play.

The Mercy Cross junior varsity downed the Lady Tiger JV, 6-15, 16-14 and 15-7. Christen Hartley was high scorer for Bay High with 15 points.

Bay High will travel to Mercy Cross tonight for a rematch with the Lady Crusaders beginning at 6 p.m.

The team will then host the opening round of the state playoffs Saturday against South Pike at 1 p.m. Bay High is the Division 8 champions.

OLA falls to Vancleave

Our Lady Academy lost to the powerful Vancleave Lady Bulldogs, 15-2 and 15-2, Tuesday night in high school volleyball action.

In the junior varsity contest, the Crescents won 15-10 and 15-13. Katie Whitman was high scorer for OLA with 12 points, followed by Keith Puckett with seven. The team has posted a record of 11-4.

The Crescents will finish regular season play tonight at St. Martin beginning at 6 p.m.

OLA has an overall record of 12-3 and are Division 8 runner-ups with a 10-2 mark. The team will advance to the state playoffs for the first time, beginning Saturday at 2 p.m. at McComb High School.

USM commemorates standout football, softball teams

University of Southern Mississippi football fans will see something different at M.M. Roberts Stadium when the Golden Eagles host Army Oct. 16.

On the walkway along the north end of the stadium, USM's 1958 national championship football team and 1999 softball teams will be commemorated with brickwork along the sidewalk.

A fund raiser by the USM "M" Club, the commemorative bricks for the football team were purchased by team members, who also chipped in for large stone plates that will be set within the brickwork.

The 1958 Golden Eagles were 9-0 and won the college division national championship.

Longtime USM supporters Pat Ferlie and Marvin Shemper donated the bricks for the Lady Eagles softball team, which made it to the College Softball World Series in the program's inaugural season.

"It just builds up tradition," Ed Kauchick, brick chairman for the "M" Club, said of the commemorative displays.

Profits from the sales are used to support USM athletics.

Bricks can be bought for \$50 each and commemorate the buyer, a friend, a professor or an athletic team.

For information on "M" club membership or to order bricks call Lynn McLelland in the USM Athletics Office at (601) 266-5017, or Kauchick at (601) 794-8668.

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Words of wisdom on winterizing

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BOAT/U.S., the nation's largest organization of recreational boaters, has a free Winterizing Notebook to help owners make sure their boats get through the winter undamaged. Some tips from this step-by-step guide include:

- Just because you live in a temperate climate, don't assume you don't have to winterize your boat. An examination of BOAT/U.S. Marine Insurance claims showed California had more winterizing claims than any other state, including Alaska, Maine and Michigan.

Bitter temperatures are a fact of life in northern states, so people prepare seriously for them, while those in balmy states often think, "It can't happen here."

- If you have a choice, storing your boat ashore is safer. Support the critical areas of the hull—the bulkhead, keel and motor. Make sure the boat is level to prevent pooling water.

- If you leave your boat in the water, close all through-hulls (except for the cockpit drains) and make sure they are double-clamped with stainless steel hose clamps at each end.

Plug exhaust ports. Use chafe guards on the dock lines and use longer spring lines to keep boats well away from the

dock.

- Cover the boat, using a frame to help circulate air and prevent pooling. If you shrink wrap your boat, use vents along the cover or put a series of foam pads between the hull and cover to allow condensation to escape.

- Top off the fuel tank(s) and use additives to keep fuel healthy over the winter.

- Engine blocks that freeze and crack are not usually covered by a boat's insurance policy, and half-hearted winterizing efforts will cause your engine to wear out prematurely.

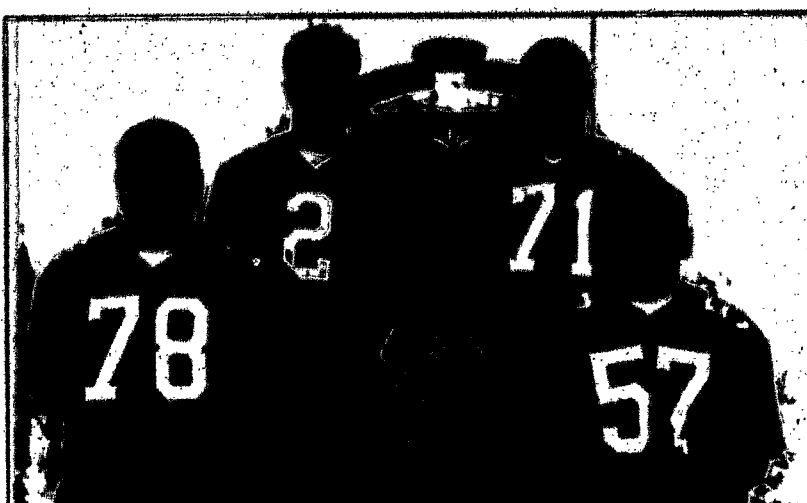
Change the engine oil to eliminate residual acids and moisture in the crankcase. Use non-toxic, environmentally friendly antifreeze to prevent freezing and corrosion in raw water cooling systems. Drain the sea strainer.

- If you leave a battery aboard to operate a burglar alarm or bilge pump, fill its cells with distilled water and fully charge it so it doesn't freeze. Clean the terminals with baking soda, rinse and then put petroleum jelly on terminals and cables to prevent rust.

- Discourage theft—take home electronics, smaller outboards, boat papers and other valuables. Store sails, cushions, dinghies and galley fuel ashore.

- If you aren't able to winterize your boat yourself, choose a competent contractor or marina and then spell out in writing exactly what is to be done. Don't assume anything.

For a free copy of the BOAT/U.S. Winterizing Notebook, log onto the BOAT/U.S. Web site at www.boatus.com or call 1-800-274-4377.



The St. Stanislaus chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) officers selected for 1999-00 are, from left, secretary, Neil Favre; vice-president, D'Mitri Sofianos; president, Travis Fucich; and treasurer, Jesse Battle.

St. Stanislaus Fellowship of Christian Athletes officers elected

The St. Stanislaus chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) has selected the 1999-00 officers. The officers are: president, Travis Fucich, son of Mrs. Kris Rutherford of Waveland; vice-president, D'Mitri Sofianos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Emmons of Diamondhead; treasurer, Jesse Battle, son of Dr. and Mrs. Pat Battle of Bay St. Louis; and secretary, Neil Favre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Favre, Jr. of Bay St. Louis.

The St. Stanislaus chapter of this national organization, under the direction of chairman and coach Mike Stumpf, has

raised money and collected numerous gifts that were given to deserving families in the community over the past four years since the chapter's inception in 1995.

The club will be working on many service projects this year in the community and on campus, including the Thanksgiving baskets and Christmas gifts to needy families.

St. Stanislaus parents are also taking an active role in the development and activities of the organization. Leading the way is FCA Club Mother Jane Byrne.

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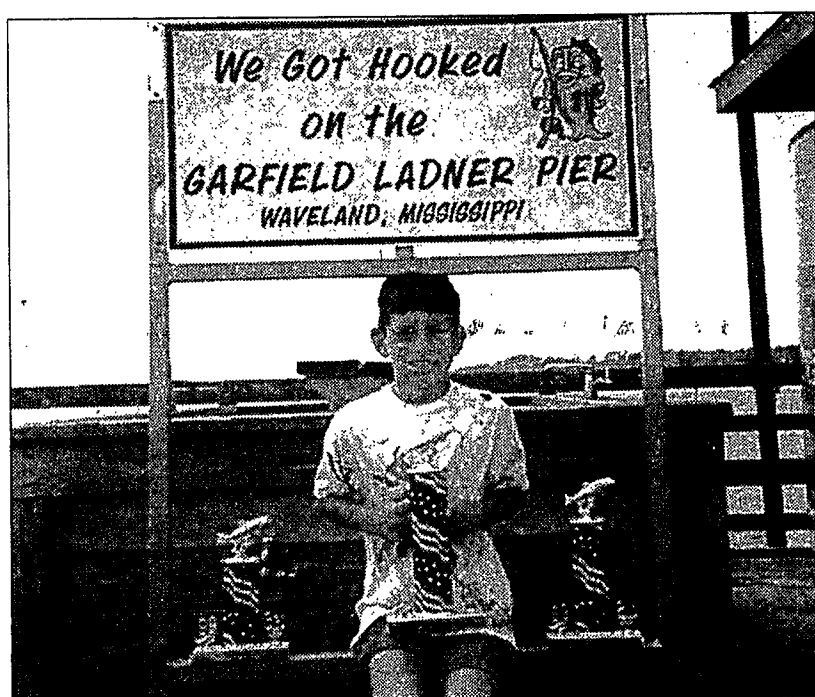
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Hooked on winning

Justin Main, 9, of Bay St. Louis proudly displays his three trophies he won at the Waveland Civic Association's annual Kids Fishing Rodeo. The two-day tournament was held over the Labor Day weekend. In the Pier Division, Justin won first place for flounder; second for speckled trout; and third for white trout. He attends Bay Middle School in Bay St. Louis.

Hurricane Floyd causes millions in damages to fleet

Hurricane Floyd dealt about \$100 million in damages to some 20,000-25,000 recreational boats in the Bahamas and along the East Coast, according to an estimate by BoatU.S., the nation's largest organization of recreational boaters.

In the Bahamas the losses were severe: An estimated \$15-\$20 million worth of boats were destroyed or badly damaged.

The rest of the damage was spread up and down the East Coast and was caused primarily by the torrential rains.

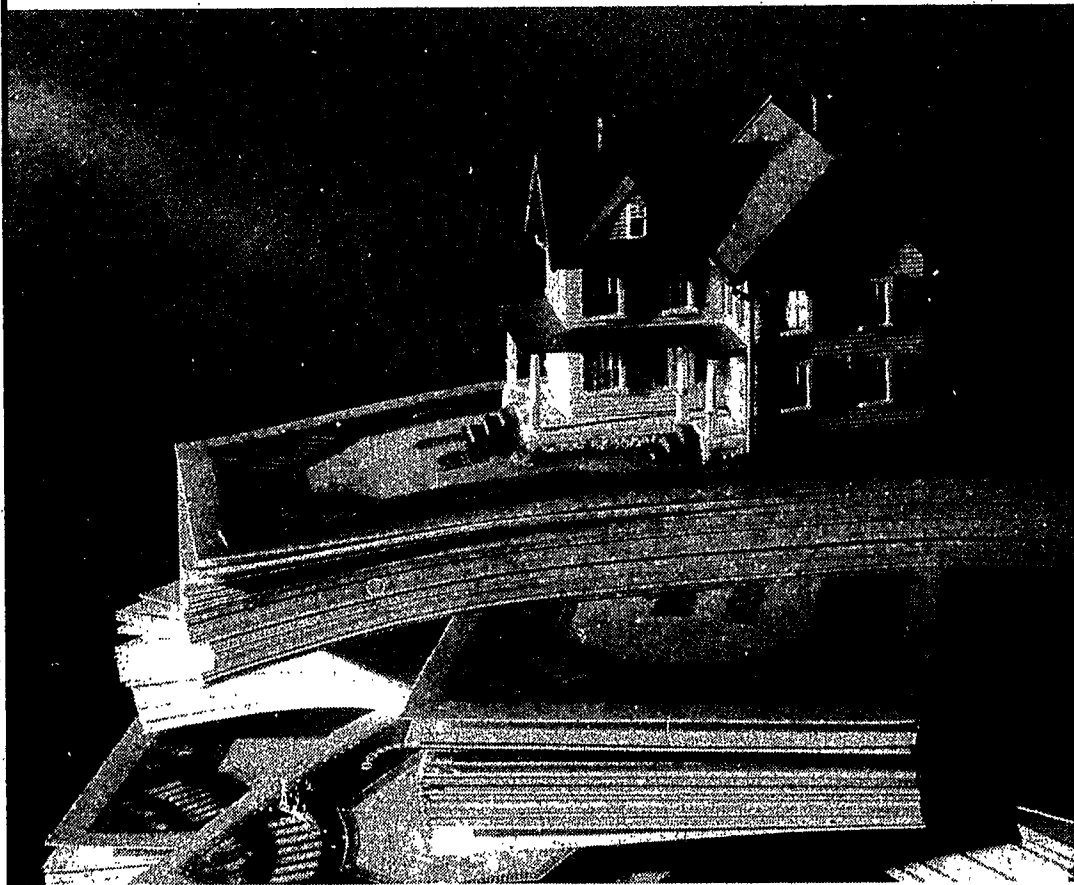
Because of these rains and the lack of bilge pumps many small boats sank. Many insurance claims in the East Coast involve relative minor damage

to canvas—ripped by high winds—and to boat hulls, which smashed into docks or each other.

Boats anchored without sufficient ground tackle, or placed on moorings that didn't hold, usually found their way to shore, with varying degrees of damage.

Carroll Robertson, vice president of claims for BoatU.S. Marine Insurance, which underwrites \$5 billion worth of hull insurance said, "Considering the huge area affected by Hurricane Floyd, boat damage along the East Coast could have been much worse. However, things were brutal in the Bahamas."

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Conservation Corner

What if hunting were banned – Part 1

By James L. Cummins, Jr.
Over the past several years there has been a major controversy to ban hunting on some public lands and protest hunting in general.

And even there has been several recent editorials in newspapers from the Coast to Jackson to North Mississippi regarding animal rights.

Let's take a hypothetical situation to show what would happen in Mississippi if, in fact, hunting was banned. As of November 1, 1999 it is now illegal to hunt whitetail deer in Mississippi.

In other words, hunting is now a thing of the past. Several months later in July of 2000, Mississippi's deer herd increases from 1.7 million animals to 3.5 million animals.

That is about 1.5 million animals greater than the current habitat can support. So how will the surplus deer herd be reduced? Remember, hunting is now illegal.

The Delta is the hardest hit. Counties bordering the Mississippi River were approaching carrying capacity before the hunting ban and now the deer herd is totally out of control.

Farming, the lifeblood of the Delta economy, is virtually impossible. Rice, cotton and soybean production cease. Regeneration of timber along the Mississippi River ceases because of deer eating young seedlings.

The thousands of acres that have been planted in bottomland hardwoods through the Wetland Reserve Program are now bare of vegetation.

Even our urban areas are

accruing damage from whitetail deer. The number of collisions with deer and automobiles has climbed to 40,000 statewide.

Human fatalities increased to over 400. Automobile insurance rates have increased 30%.

Highway 49 between Magee and Hattiesburg becomes a deer dodging region. A Sunday afternoon drive is hazardous to one's health. And on Interstates 10, 20 and 55, interstate commerce is lessened because truckers fear traveling through the state.

Because hunting is illegal, there are no funds to support the Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks or the Mississippi Museum of Natural Science.

The sign on their door says

"Out of Business." We have no biologists nor conservation officers. The loss in license revenue alone is \$13 million.

Federal aid through Pittman-Robertson funds generated by the sale of hunting equipment is also lost. That total is \$4 million dollars.

State sales tax and income tax dollars lost to Mississippi amount to \$72 million. Retail sales drop \$1.8 billion dollars.

Wildlife management areas close and revert back to private ownership. Sporting goods stores close. Our restaurants and motels in rural areas cease to exist.

Hunting lodges close. Over 35,000 people have lost their jobs. All wildlife populations in

Mississippi decrease because hunters are not providing the dollars to support them. Many private, non-profit conservation organizations have also closed their doors.

Next week, we will continue with this hypothetical scenario to further show what might happen if hunting in the Magnolia State was banned.

James L. Cummins, Jr. is executive director of the Mississippi Fish and Wildlife Foundation in Stoneville, Mississippi. Known as "Wildlife Mississippi," the Foundation is a non-profit, conservation organization founded to conserve, restore and enhance fish, wildlife and plant resources throughout Mississippi.

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Annual Drinking Water Quality Report
for 1998
Diamondhead Water & Sewer District
August 09, 1999

We are pleased to present to you this year's Annual Quality Water Report. This report is designed to inform and explain to you about the outstanding water and service we deliver to you every day. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. We want you to understand the efforts we make to continually improve the water treatment process and protect our resources.

Your water comes to you from deep, clean, clear wells nearly 1000 feet down in the Graham Ferry Formation of the Miocene Aquifer. This water is naturally crystal clear and of Artesian spring water quality.

We are pleased to report that our drinking water is clean and safe, and meets all federal and state requirements. This report shows our water quality and what it means.

If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Tony Esau at our main office (255-5813) or Doug McGraw at 255-5856. We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility. If you want to learn more, please attend any of our regularly scheduled board meetings. They are held at 9am on the second Monday of each month at our main office on Park Ten Drive.

The Diamondhead Water & Sewer District routinely monitors for constituents in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. The following table shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1st, 1998 to December 31st, 1998. As water travels over the land or underground, it can pick up substances or contaminants such as microbes, inorganic and organic chemicals, and radioactive substances. All drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may be reasonably expected to contain at least small amounts of some constituents. It's important to remember that the presence of these constituents does not necessarily pose a health risk.

In this table you will find many terms and abbreviations you might not be familiar with. To help you better understand these terms we've provided the following definitions:

Non-Detects (ND) - laboratory analysis indicates that the constituent is not present.

Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l) - one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.

Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter - one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

Parts per trillion (ppt) or Nanograms per liter (nanograms/l) - one part per trillion corresponds to one minute in 2,000,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000,000.

Parts per quadrillion (ppq) or Picograms per liter (picograms/l) - one part per quadrillion corresponds to one minute in 2,000,000,000 years or one penny in \$10,000,000,000,000.

Picocuries per liter (pCi/L) - picocuries per liter is a measure of the radioactivity in water.

Millirems per year (mrem/yr) - measure of radiation absorbed by the body.

Million Fibers per Liter (MFL) - million fibers per liter is a measure of the presence of asbestos fibers that are longer than 10 micrometers.

Nephelometric Turbidity Unit (NTU) - nephelometric turbidity unit is a measure of the clarity of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person.

Action Level - the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

Treatment Technique (TT) - A treatment technique is a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Maximum Contaminant Level - The "Maximum Allowed" (MCL) is the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal - The "Goal" (MCLG) is the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

TEST RESULTS					
Contaminant	Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL
Microbiological Contaminants					
1. Total Coliform Bacteria	N	0		0	presence of
2. Fecal coliform and	N	0		0	a routine
3. Turbidity	n/a	n/a		n/a	TT

Radioactive Contaminants					
4. Beta/Photon emitters	N	0.7	mrem/yr	0	4
5. Alpha emitters	N	ND	pCi/l	0	15
6. Combined radium	n/a	n/a	pCi/l	0	5

Inorganic Contaminants					
7. Antimony	N	ND	ppb	6	6
8. Arsenic	N	ND	ppb	n/a	50

*** Asbestos sampling is not required for this system. There are no asbestos containing pipes in Diamondhead.					
9. Asbestos***	***	***	MFL	7	7
10. Barium	N	ND	ppm	2	2

11. Beryllium	N	ND	ppb	4	4
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12. Cadmium	N	0.1	ppb	5	5
13. Chromium	N	ND	ppb	100	100
14. Copper	N	0.1	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3
15. Cyanide	N	ND	ppb	200	200
16. Fluoride	N	0.3	ppm	4	4
17. Lead	N	4	ppb	0	AL=15
18. Mercury (inorganic)	N	ND	ppb	2	2
19. Nitrate (as Nitrogen)	N	ND	ppm	10	10
20. Nitrite (as Nitrogen)	N	0.04	ppm	1	1
21. Selenium	N	ND	ppb	50	50

22. Thallium	N	ND	ppb	0.5	2
Volatile Organic Contaminants					
55. Benzene	N	ND	ppb	0	5
56. Carbon tetrachloride	N	ND	ppb	0	5
57. Chlorobenzene	N	ND	ppb	100	100
58. o-Dichlorobenzene	N	ND	ppb	600	600
59. p-Dichlorobenzene	N	ND	ppb	75	75
60. 1,2-Dichloroethane	N	ND	ppb	0	5
61. 1,1,2-Trichloroethylene	N	ND	ppb	7	7
62. cis-1,2-Dichloroethylene	N	ND	ppb	70	70
63. trans-1,2-Dichloroethylene	N	ND	ppb	100	100
64. Dichloromethane	N	ND	ppb	0	5
65. 1,2-Dichloropropane	N	ND	ppb	0	5
66. Ethylbenzene	N	ND	ppb	700	700
67. Styrene	N	ND	ppb	100	100
68. Tetrachloroethylene	N	ND	ppb	0	5
69. 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	N	ND	ppb	70	70
70. 1,1,1-Trichloroethane	N	ND	ppb	200	200
71. 1,1,2-Trichloroethane	N	ND	ppb	3	5
72. Trichloroethylene	N	ND	ppb	0	5
73. THM	N	ND	ppb	0	100
74. Toluene	N	ND	ppm	1	1
75. Vinyl Chloride	N	ND	ppb	0	2
76. Xylenes	N	ND	ppm	10	10

As you can see by the table, our system had no violations. We're proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements. We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some constituents have been detected. The EPA has determined that your water IS SAFE at these levels.

MCL's are set at very stringent levels. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated constituents, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.

All sources of drinking water are subject to potential contamination by substances that are naturally occurring or man made. These substances can be microbes, inorganic or organic chemicals and radioactive substances. All drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

In our efforts to maintain a safe and dependable water supply we continue to make improvements in your water system. Since the formation of the Diamondhead Water & Sewer District in 1989 we have added a new 1000 gallon per minute well, overhauled the two existing wells, and linked the areas north and south of I-10 with a new 10 inch water main to improve pressure and fire protection. We have also obtained a great deal of much needed repair and maintenance equipment such as backhoes, air compressors, a sewer cleaning machine, safety equipment, and numerous other important items necessary to a utility district. We've also spent millions of dollars to bring Diamondhead's failing wastewater collection system up to standard and constructed the state of the art \$3,000,000 Diamondhead Wastewater Treatment Facility to replace the ancient, defunct package treatment plants installed in the 1960's. The Diamondhead Water and Sewer District receives no tax money and depends on only water bills and connection fees for 100% of our operating costs. As a result the costs of these improvements may be reflected in the rate structure. Rate adjustments may be necessary in order to address future improvements. Water may be free, but getting it out of the ground and safely to your home is not. Thank you for understanding.

We at the Diamondhead Water & Sewer District work around the clock to provide top quality water to every tap. A safe dependable source of water is one of the most important and valuable resources to a community and vital to it's growth and continued well being. We ask that all our customers help us protect our water sources, which are the heart of our community, our way of life and our children's future.

Please call our office (255-5813) if you have any questions. We'll be happy to answer them.

New oyster shell retention fee for this oyster season

The Mississippi Legislature passed a new "shell retention fee" regulation that will be in effect for the upcoming oyster season.

This law requires harvesters and dealers first purchasing oysters to each pay a \$0.15 shell retention fee to the Department of Marine Resources (DMR) for every sack of Mississippi oysters harvested and purchased.

Harvesters must pay this fee on the day of harvest, while dealers must pay by the 10th of the following month.

The commission will use the monies collected to further oyster production in the state, which includes planting of oysters and cultch material.

An informational meeting for oyster dealers, processors and factories will be held on Sept. 27 at 6 p.m. at the Department of Marine Resources, 1141 Bayview Avenue, Suite 101, Biloxi, to discuss this process.

Any questions regarding the implantation of this new regulation should be directed to Scott Gordon at (228) 374-5000.

5K run/walk to benefit hospice

The second annual Slidell Memorial Hospital Fitness Center Fall Classic 5K Run/Walk will be held on Saturday, Oct. 16. This run/walk will benefit Slidell Memorial Hospice.

Before Oct. 6, registration for adults is \$12 and for children (12 and under) is \$10. After Oct. 6, the registration rises to \$15 for adults and \$12 for children (12 and under).

A 1-Mile Walk and the Children's 1-Mile Fun Run begin at 8:15 a.m. The 5K run/walk begins at 9 a.m. The course starts and ends at the SMH Wellness Pavilion at 501 Robert Blvd.

A post-race party for participants on the grounds of the Wellness Pavilion will feature music and refreshments.

All entrants will receive an official event t-shirt. (Registrants who register prior to Oct. 6 will receive their t-shirts on the race day.)

For more information or to register, call 504-645-2955.

Take A Night Out

Swamp Festival underway at the Audubon Zoo

It's Swamp Fest time at the Audubon Zoo in New Orleans. All over Louisiana and all over the country people are dusting off their dancing shoes as they put Audubon Zoo's most anticipated festival on their calendars.

Always the first two weekends in October, this year's Louisiana Swamp Festival is continuing October 9 and 10.

Three music stages are scheduled with the finest in Cajun and Zydeco sounds from Louisiana artists.

Authentic Cajun cuisine, including fried alligator, boudin, couchon de lait, catfish poboys, fried okra and cracklins can be sampled.

The best of Louisiana's arts and crafts are for sale throughout the zoo, like Louisiana mud paintings, watercolor lifestyle renderings, fish print rubbings and woven cypress baskets.

The New Orleans Art Association will be displaying their paintings of Audubon Zoo and the Louisiana Swamp throughout the festival. Audubon zookeepers will be selling paintings done by the zoo's orangutans.

Want to find out what out more about swamp culture? Cajun Heritage Demonstrations teach visitors about the preservation of a way of life, including Cajun storytelling, dance lessons, accordion and doll making.

The Louisiana Swamp Festival is an official Franco Fete event, celebrating 300 years of Cajun culture in South Louisiana.

And if visitors want to take a little Swamp Fest music home, the Louisiana Music Tent sells traditional and contemporary Cajun and Zydeco music from internationally renowned artists.

This all happens within the unique setting of New Orleans' Audubon Zoo, complete with special animal feedings and hands-on animal encounters. Feedings include alligators, nutria, water snakes, and more.

Visit the new Louisiana Swamp with a baby animal nursery, live Cajun music in the air-conditioned dance hall and new gift shop featuring treasures from the Swamp.

For information on Swamp Fest, phone 1-800-774-7394 or 504-581-4629; or visit Audubon Institute's website at www.auduboninstitute.org.

Saturday, Oct. 9
Monkey Hill
12-2:30 pm La Bon Vie Swamp Exhibit
1-2:30 pm Les Freres Michot
3-4:30 pm T-Mamou Performance Pavilion
11:10 am - 12:15 pm Dwayne

"Dopsie" Rubin & the Zydeco Hellraisers

12:45-2 pm C.J. Chenier
2:30-3:45 pm Terrance Simon

4:15 - 5:45 pm Evangeline Sunday, Oct. 10
Monkey Hill

12 - 2:30 pm La Touche Swamp Exhibit
1-2:30 pm Le Bon Ton Cajun Band

3-4:30 pm Pierre Descant's Cajun Fiddler Band
Performance Pavilion

11:10 am- 12:15 pm Zydeco Joe

12:45-2:00 pm Bruce Daigrepont

2:30-3:45 pm Sunpie & the Louisiana Sunspots

4:15-5:30 pm Rockin "Dopsie" Jr. & the Zydeco Twisters

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Pure Gold, Tuesdays-Saturdays, 8 and 10:30 p.m., free

Open Mike Talent competition Fridays and Saturdays, free at midnight

Oct. 8 Little Anthony & The Imperials, 9 p.m., free

Oct. 9 Check out the classic cars in the casino parking lot at the "Cruise In" hosted by Misfits Street Krewzers, 5-8:30 p.m.

Oct. 10 "Heroes of Wrestling" in the Magic Entertainment Complex, \$10, \$20, \$30 and \$50

Oct. 15 John Waite, 9 p.m., \$10, \$15 and \$20

All tickets may be purchased through TicketMaster or the Casino Magic Box Office by calling 1-800-5-MAGIC-5, ext. 4535.

All entertainment subject to change. Concerts are held in the Magic Entertainment complex. Must be 21 to attend.

CELEBRATE A CENTURY OF MAGIC

In October, Casino Magic Bay St. Louis continues Celebrate a Century of Magic by counting down the decades to the new millennium with the 1980s.

Guests may earn 250 points on the Magic Money Players club card or place an average bet of \$25 for three hours on table games to receive compact stadium binoculars.

Must be a Magic Money Players Club member to participate.

Register for a free membership at the Magic Money Players Club.

Also, register for our Three Car Giveaway. (Three cars to be given away Oct. 30 at 11 a.m., 4 p.m. and 9 p.m.)

\$5,000 HOT SEAT

A Magic Money member will be randomly selected every hour on Thursdays, 6-10 p.m.

The winner will be placed in the "Magic Money Cash Booth" and will have the opportunity to win up to \$5,000 in cash.

Just make sure you use your Magic Money Players Card when you play. Membership is free. You may register at the Magic Money Players Club.

IT'S "ALL SAINTS" DAYS FOR MAGIC MONEY PLAYERS

Now through Jan. 2, 2000, Magic Money Club members can earn "All Saints Day" calendars during football season.

These artistic calendars feature a different Saints football player each month. Guests earning a minimum of 100 points or play an average bet of \$25 for two hours can receive their very own Saints calendar.

Points and play must be earned within a 24-hour period. Limit one per day.

CHARITY SLOT TOURNAMENT

This month's tournament benefits the Casino Magic Children's Support Project.

The entry is \$10 cash donation.

Registration starts at 9 a.m. in the main lobby with the first round beginning at noon.

Space is limited.

For information, call 1-800-5-MAGIC-5, ext. 8008.

MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

Beginning each Monday at 5 p.m., choose a square on our football game board.

A total of 500 entries are available each week.

Registration ends at kickoff. At the end of each quarter, the last digit of each team's score determines the winner.

The guest has 10 minutes to claim the cash.

Quarterly winners receive:

First quarter, \$125; second quarter, \$250; third quarter, \$125; and final score, \$500.

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In addition to quarterly winners, guests also have the opportunity to win a \$1,000 bonus. Prior to kickoff of each Monday night game, radio personality Buddy D, who will be broadcasting live in the lobby, will make a final score prediction.

If the final score matches his exact prediction, all participants on that winning square will have 10 minutes to claim the \$1,000 bonus.

And don't forget the NFL Fun Pit. It's back every Sunday, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. with lots of football prizes, including autographed Brett Favre football.

4TH ANNUAL CRUISIN' THE COAST

Oct. 7-10, the Mississippi Gulf Coast hosts "America's Largest Block Party" during the 4th annual Cruisin' the Coast.

Centered around the rock n' roll era of the 1950's and 60's, Cruisin' the Coast will feature more than 2,500 classic car enthusiasts form across the country.

CRUISIN' THE COAST HAPPENINGS

Oct. 9 The Dixie Cubs, in the main lobby, 6 and 9 p.m.

All shows are free and open to the public. Must be 21 to attend.

Cruisin' the Coast Poker Fun participants can register to win an official Cruisin' the Coast leather jacket just by presenting their poker run paper at the Magic Money Players Club.

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148 Mobile Homes For Rent

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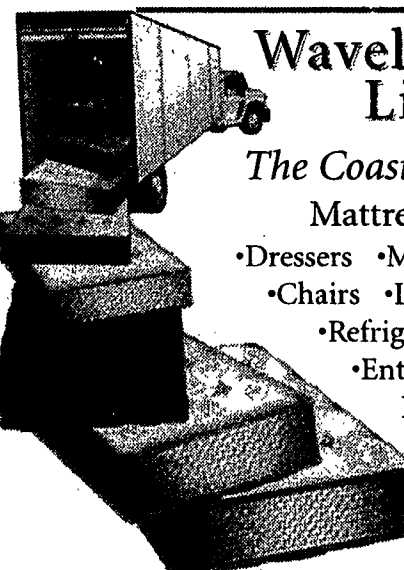
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Public Notice

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS, on July 24, 1998, James Smith, executed a Deed of Trust to Greg N. Langston, D.D., Trustee for the use and benefit of the Sea Coast Echo, Inc., a Mississippi corporation, and the said Deed of Trust is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Book 588 of said Deeds at Page 589 and on;

AND WHEREAS said Deed of Trust was assigned to ADAMS & SONS, CORPORATION, by instrument recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk in Book 588 of said Deeds at Page 589 and on;

AND WHEREAS, the legal holder of the said Deed of Trust and the note secured thereby, substituted LEM ADAMS, III, as Trustee thereon, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk in Book 588 of said Deeds at Page 589 and on;

AND WHEREAS, default having been made in the performance of the conditions and stipulations as set forth by said Deed of Trust, and having been requested by the legal holder of the indebtedness secured and secured by said Deed of Trust to do, notice is hereby given that L. Lem Adams, III, Substituted Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will offer for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. at the north front door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 23rd day of October, 1999, the following described land and property being the same land and property described in said Deed of Trust, situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Being all of Lots 18, 19, 20 and 21 of Square 85, of Original Block 29, BAY ST. LOUIS LAND AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY'S FIRST ADDITION to Bay St. Louis and Waveland, located on the West side of Canal Street in the extended City Limits of Waveland, Mississippi, a subdivision according to a map or plat thereof which is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi in Plat Book 2 at Page 124, reference to which is hereby made in aid of and as a part of this description, and in the Sectional Index of the Deed Records of Hancock County, Mississippi, having been originally conveyed to the said Lema Morgan in G-2 at Page 58, deed records of Hancock County, Mississippi.

Title to the above described property is believed to be good, but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS my signature, on this the 30th day of September, 1999.

LEM ADAMS, III
SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE
PREPARED BY: ADAMS & SONS
A Professional Association
POST OFFICE BOX 400
BRANDON, MISSISSIPPI 39043
(601) 825-9508

10/7; 10/14; 10/21; 10/28/99

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

MRS. MARY V. CLARKE PLAINTIFF

VERSUS

THE HEIRS AT LAW OF THOMAS P. CLARKE DEFENDANTS

DECEASED

NO. 990775

RULE 61 SUMMONS

(Summons by Publication)

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: THE HEIRS AT LAW OF THOMAS P. CLARKE, DECEASED

ADDRESSES UNKNOWN:

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Mrs. Mary V. Clarke, Plaintiff seeking to determine the heirs at law of Thomas P. Clarke, deceased. Defendants other than you in this action are unknown.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint filed against you in this action at 9:30 O'CLOCK A.M. on the 16th day of November, 1999, in the Chancery courtroom of the Hancock County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire.

ISSUED under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 5th day of October, 1999.

(SEAL)

CHANCERY CLERK
BY: Pamela R. Cuevas
Deputy Clerk

10/7; 10/14; 10/21; 10/28/99

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

BETTY LILLY BENSABAT, DECEASED

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

C.A. NO. 99-0789

TO THE CREDITORS OF BETTY LILLY BENSABAT, DECEASED

Letters Testamentary having been granted by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 17th day of Sept., A.D., 1999, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Betty Lilly Bensabat, deceased, in Civil Action No. 99-0789, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days after the publication of this notice to creditors. A failure to probate and register claims within said time will operate to forever bar such claims.

THIS, the 17th day of Sept., A.D., 1999.

CAROLINE BENSABAT MARSHALL, Executrix of the Estate of Betty Lilly Bensabat, deceased

E. BRAGG WILLIAMS, III, MS BAR NO. 7234

WILLIAMS, WILLIAMS & MONTGOMERY, P.A.

P.O. BOX 113

Poplarville, MS 39470

9/23; 9/30; 10/7/99

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on August 13, 1997, Paul R. Langston and his wife, Veronica Langston executed and delivered a Land Deed of Trust to Darin Bone, trustee for the benefit of United Companies Funding, Inc., which Land Deed of Trust is recorded in Book 489, Page 586 of said Deeds, in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, and the legal holder of said Deed of Trust is substituted L. Mark Franklin, III, as Trustee thereon, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument dated September 20, 1999, and recorded in Book 588, Page 585 of said Deeds, in the records of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk; and,

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Land Deed of Trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said Land Deed of Trust, and the legal holder of said indebtedness, United Companies Funding, Inc., having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and said Land Deed of Trust in accordance with the terms of said Land Deed of Trust for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorneys' fees, Substituted Trustee's fees and expenses of sale;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. Mark Franklin, III, Substituted Trustee in said Land Deed of Trust, will on the 29th day of October, 1999, offer for sale and will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, during the legal hours between the hours of 11:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. on the steps of the main front door entrance of the Hancock County Courthouse, 152 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, 39520, the following described property situated and lying in the County of Hancock State of Mississippi, to-wit:

That certain lot of real property situated and located in Section 18, Township 6 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, more particularly described as follows to-wit:

Begin at the SE corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 18, Township 6 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, thence run West 8.46 chains to the East right-of-way of Highway 603, thence along the said right-of-way North 8 degrees East 1.36 chains to the center of another public road, thence along center of public road North 83 degrees East 6.39 chains, thence South 2.28 chains to the place of beginning, being in the SE corner of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 18, Township 6 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, and containing 1.2 acres, more or less, together with all improvements thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Together with the following described manufactured home:

Year Make Model Size Serial Number

1997 Craftsman Major E107 28x60 000113ABGA

which has been affixed to the real estate described herein with the mortgage, in that it become part of the real estate conveyed hereby and subject to the terms of said mortgage.

I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this the 29th day of September, 1999.

J. MARK FRANKLIN, III
Substituted Trustee

10/7; 10/14; 10/21; 10/28/99

J. Mark Franklin, III
Mississippi Bar No. 5512

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Public Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF PAUL B. HOOPER

CAUSE NO. 99-0800

Probate (Summons by Publication)

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: The Heirs at Law of Paul B. Hooper, Deceased

You have been made a defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Mary Paul Hooper, Walter J. Hooper and L. Thomas Currey, Jr., plaintiffs, seeking to establish the heirs at law of Paul B. Hooper.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:30 a.m. on the 13th day of November, 1999, in the courtroom of the Hancock County Chancery Clerk at 206 Highway 90, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire.

Issued under my hand and seal of said Court, this the 4th of October, 1999.

(SEAL)

Timothy A. Keller
Chancery Clerk
BY: Pamela Cuevas
Clerk

10/7; 10/14; 10/21; 10/28/99

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BARBARA HOOPER, DECEASED

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

CAUSE NO. 990137

TO ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF BARBARA HOOPER, DECEASED.

You have been made a Respondent in the Petition styled "Petition Adjudicating Heirs at Law and Any and All Other Persons Claiming Any Right, Title or Interest in Heirs at Law of Barbara Hoover" filed by Joey Pendleton seeking to identify all the persons who are heirs at law and nearest of kin of Barbara Hoover, deceased.

You are summoned to be and appear and defend against the Petition filed against you in this action at 9:30 a.m. on the 12th day of November, A.D., 1999, at the Hancock County Courthouse, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money and other things demanded in this Petition.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleadings, but you may do so if you desire.

ISSUED under my hand and the seal of said Court, this the 4th day of October, A.D., 1999.

CHANCERY CLERK
HANCOCK COUNTY
BY: Lennell Scarbrough

10/7; 10/14; 10/21; 10/28/99

(SEAL)

Ray T. Price, Esquire
Attorney for Petitioner
Post Office Box 1548
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MSB No. 9016

10/7; 10/14; 10/21/99

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

HANCOCK COUNTY

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

CAUSE NO. 990733

Letter of Administration having been granted on the day of 28th of September 1999 by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi to the undersigned upon the Estate of JOSEPH WINNORHAM, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within 90 days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This the 28th day of September, 1999.

ALINDA THOMAS, Administratrix

CLEMENT S. BENVENUTI

Attorney for Administratrix

125 Court Street

P.O. Box 585

Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

(228) 467-0744

MS BAR NO. 2435

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Date: 9/24/99

I certify that all information furnished on this form is true and complete. I understand that anyone who furnishes false or misleading information on this form or who omits material or information requested on the form may be subject to criminal sanctions (including fines and imprisonment) and/or civil sanctions (including multiple damages and civil penalties). The statements made by me above are correct and complete.

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Public Notice

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that pursuant to Section 19-3-41, an election will be held on November 2, 1999 on the following Propositions:

PROPOSITION #1:

Are you for or against the establishment of a privately owned landfill in the State of Mississippi, located in the State Center or elsewhere in Hancock County?

For _____ Against _____

PROPOSITION #2:

If you oppose a privately owned landfill in Hancock County, are you for or against the proposition that any entity having interest in Hancock County be security bonded, maintained, and reported under the jurisdiction of the Hancock County Board of Supervisors with no other accepted only from within Hancock County and neighboring counties in Mississippi?

For _____ Against _____

Published by Order of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, this the 30th day of September, 1999.

(SEAL)

Timothy A. Keller, Clerk
Board of Supervisors
Hancock County, Mississippi
By: Terry E. Guenard, D.C.
10/7/99

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 99-0802

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of Anna Caroline Love, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, First Judicial District, Mississippi, on the 3rd day of September, 1999, and all persons having claim against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of said Court and to have them probated and allowed within ninety days from the date of the first publication of this notice, failure to do so will bar the claim.

ROBERT P. MYERS, JR. ESQUIRE
MS Bar No. 9007

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Estate of Anna Caroline Love, Deceased

Amanda Collins Love, Administratrix

9/23; 9/30; 10/7/99

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI, UNTIL 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M. TUESDAY October 26, 1999.

For construction of ten (10) Weigh-in-Motion systems on Interstate Highways, 10, 20 and 59, Mississippi Highway 27, and U. S. Highway 49, 81, 78 and 82, known as Federal-Aid Project No. ITS-9928 (004) 19-9928-00-004-10, in the Counties of Pearl River, Hancock, Jackson, Lauderdale, Simpson, Warren, Sunflower, Coahoma, and Marshall, State of Mississippi. COMPLETION DATE: November, 30, 2000.

CERTIFIED CHECK, CASHIERS CHECK OR BID BOND FOR FIVE PERCENT (5 %) OF BID MUST ACCOMPANY EACH PROPOSAL. PROPOSAL AND DETAILED INFORMATION MAY BE SECURED FROM THE CONTRACT DIVISION BY CALLING (601) 359-7744.

KENNETH I. WARREN

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

10/7/99

Notice of Public Meeting

The Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks will hold Public Meetings during second week of November in Gulfport and Poplarville to allow public comment on The Nomination of The Wolf River to the Mississippi Scenic Streams Stewardship Program.

This is a non-regulatory, voluntary state program in which riparian (stream-side) landowners are assisted in conservation stewardship agreements to maintain stream bank stability and scenic values while ensuring their rights to customary uses along the stream. The program applies only to stream sections which are public waters as classified by MCA § 51-1-1 as amended in 1994.

Gulfport, Mississippi: Monday November 8th, 1999 at 7:00 p.m. at the Chancery Court courtroom in the Harrison County Courthouse, 1801 23rd Avenue, Gulfport, MS

Poplarville, Mississippi: Tuesday November 9th, 1999 at 7:00 p.m. in the main courtroom of the Circuit Court at the Pearl River County Courthouse, Main Street in Poplarville.

Hancock County Field Day

By Lynn Bell
Special to the Echo
Learning can be fun when you are a fourth grader and get to go to a Conservation Education Field Day. For the 12th year, Hancock County Soil & Water Conservation District is sponsoring this program on Friday, October 8 at Buccaneer State Park to educate kids about protecting the environment in which they live.

Over 700 students will be participating from every school in Hancock County. This number has increased from last year and has grown every year the program has been presented.

Making this event happen in one day makes for a unique challenge and will result in the event becoming a two-day event next year.

This is an indication of the growth of our county and why we need this kind of event to educate our students about how fragile our environment is and what they can do to protect our world today as well as tomorrow.

Every student we teach will become an educated adult to help protect our environment in the future.

Educational stops will include learning on wetlands, wildlife, forestry, fire prevention, and recycling.

The Recycling Stop, which is taught by Hancock County master gardeners, includes education on how long it takes for roadside litter to decay.

The ugliest surprise is when a student discovers that a carelessly tossed aluminum can may take 200 to 500 years to decay. The students also learn the consequences of plastic thrown into a ditch which makes its way into the Mississippi Sound and then on to the Gulf of Mexico where it is harmful to our sea life.

Learning is reinforced with take home materials such as a coloring book provided by Keep Mississippi Beautiful, which features a character named KAL (Kids Against Litter). KAL wants Mississippi to be litter free by 2003 and encourages the student to make a contract with his future by pledging not to litter.

KAL knows it is important to enforce, educate, and eliminate when it comes to litter.

Several agencies, businesses and individual volunteers assisting in this program. Included are the Earth Team volunteers, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, Mississippi Forestry Commission, Hancock County Master Gardeners, Waveland Fire & Rescue, Special Wildlife and Fisheries assistant to Congressman Gene Taylor, the Soil & Water Conservation Districts of Harrison, Stone, Jackson and Hancock counties.

Also, the Gulf of Mexico Program, Boss Hog's Cajun Cooking, Bay St. Louis Police Department, and Hancock County Soil & Water Conservation District employees.

Some of the businesses donating to the field day are Hancock Bank-Kiln, First National Bank-Picayune, Wal-Mart-Waveland, Compton Engineering-Bay St. Louis, Chamber of Commerce Bay St. Louis, Keep America Beautiful-MDOT, U. S. Coast Guard-Washington, D. C. and Bayou Caddy Fisheries.

North Bay Festival set

The North Bay Elementary annual Fall Festival will take place on Saturday, October 16 from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m.

The festival will be held on the grounds of North Bay Elementary located at 740 Dunbar Avenue in Bay St. Louis.

Many traditional autumn carnival activities are scheduled, including a hay ride and a cake walk. A Halloween haunted house will be ready for the adventurous, and a pumpkin patch will offer Halloween pumpkins for sale.

The rummage sale will include toys, clothing for children and adults, books, and furniture and household items. Food and drink will be available.



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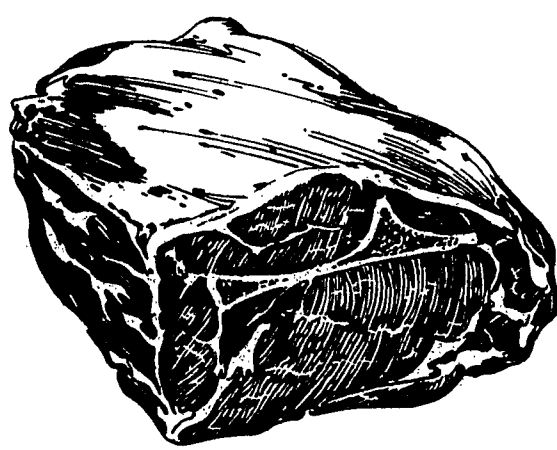
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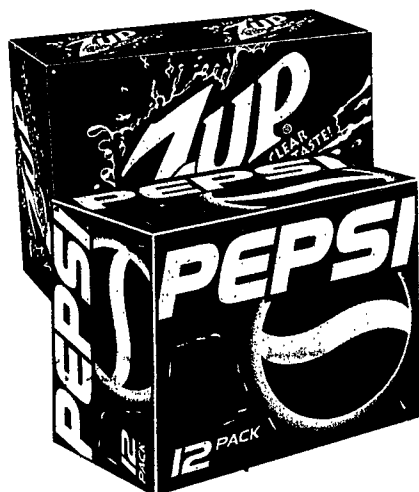
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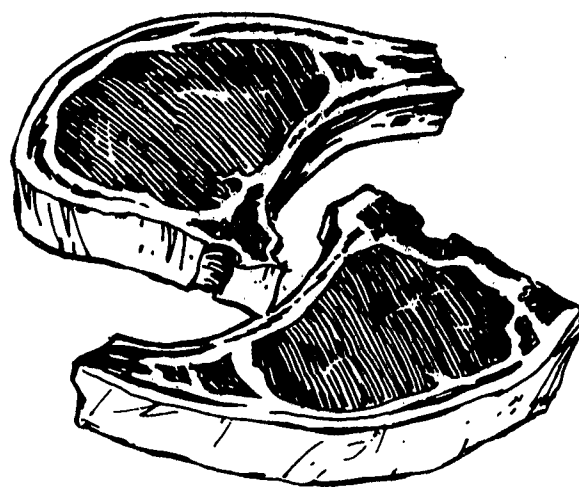
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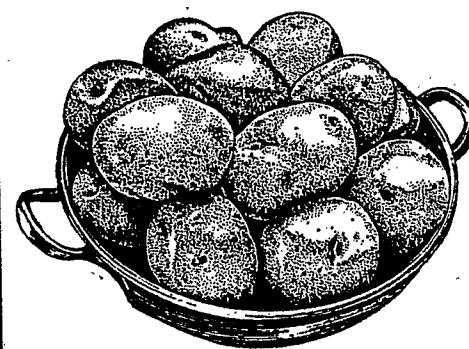
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